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ITALIAN CONCENTRATION FACING EGYPT

SECRET TROOP MOVEMENTS

LARGE FORCE SENT INTO LIBYA

EGYPTIAN TRIBESMEN READY FOR BATTLE

(SPECIAL TO "TELEGRAPH")

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Rome, Oct. 15.

It is believed the Metauro Division of the regular army recently shipped from Naples and ostensibly bound for East Africa, has now been sent to Libya. The division has been moved with great secrecy and haste.

Italian forces in Libya are now believed to amount to four divisions.

According to an unconfirmed rumour another post may be found for General Balbo, Governor-General of Libya, in order that a high army officer may be placed in supreme command of the Libyan area.—Reuter.

Rome, Oct. 15. It is learned in unimpeachable quarters that a division of 17,000 Italian regulars and several bombing squadrons have been despatched secretly for the Libyan frontier, making a total of 50,000 Italian troops sent into that area since the British warships commenced their concentration at Alexandria, and other points in the Mediterranean.

The Italians explain the military activity in Libya as being purely precautionary, that they may be prepared for a possible Italo-British conflict.

This news is interesting in view of the report from British sources in Alexandria that 10,000 Egyptian tribesmen had offered to defend the country in the event of a clash with Italy, provided they were allowed to use their own methods of warfare.

Thirty British warships have departed on manoeuvres but will return at the week-end, it is added.—United Press.

"ENGLAND WANTS WAR"

Rome, Oct. 15.

Mr. Henry Allen, newspaper editor and correspondent, visited Signor Mussolini to-day, and later was interviewed by the United Press. He said:

"Signor Mussolini believes that England wants war."

"Italy is really prepared for all eventualities and discounts League of Nations obstacles."—United Press.

AMERICA'S ATTITUDE

Washington, Oct. 15.

The United States Secretary of State, Mr. Cordell Hull, in a speech to-day said: "The United States has no territorial ambitions and makes no threats against the territory of any other country. However, we are prepared to war against threats to our own security, but whenever force is required, it is our policy to avoid that risk."

He added that he felt that the United States must give moral and financial support to peace efforts, which they are doing at present. Also he said that in following any further duty to international collaboration the United States "primary action is in the economic and monetary spheres" and there is no direction in which their collaboration could be more beneficial.

Peace rests upon the restoration of international trade and other economic activities, he said. "We may endeavour to take the lead, but at the same time, any effective performance must be the work of all countries."—United Press.

WAGING WAR OF HORROR

ITALIANS LOOSE POISON GAS

RED CROSS REPORTS

(Special to "Telegraph")

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Harrar, Oct. 15.

Dr. Robert W. Haywood of Illinois, leader of Red Cross units in Ethiopia, has formally reported that Italian war planes loosed gas bombs and killed a number of Ethiopians during their operations on the Ogaden front.

Moreover, the Italians were using dum-dum bullets, he said, which was a violation of the Hague Conference of 1899.

He added that he was forwarding photographic exposures which would bear out his testimony.

Meanwhile, Colonel Atov Ambay, one of the foreign officers with the Ethiopian troops, arrived to-day from the front displaying specimens of 100 pound gas bombs which the Italians were using, which had been dropped but failed to explode.

MEETING ADVANCE

Ras Nassib, the Ethiopian commander in this sector, continues his preparations for flinging 150,000 of his warriors against General Graziani's flank. Graziani's army is 60,000 strong, backed by aircraft, tanks and artillery of the very latest and most deadly types.

REFUSING BATTLE

Addis Ababa, Oct. 15. It is unofficially reported that Seyoum, the Ethiopian commander, has received reinforcements from the south but that he is still refusing to give (Continued on Page 7).



A hillside town in Ethiopia, typical of those in Harrar, through which the Addis Ababa-Djibouti Railway runs. Ethiopian troops under Ras Nassib have been concentrating in this region for some time past to resist the threatened Italian offensive.

WOMAN FOUND SLAIN

DR. SUSAN WADDELL MURDER VICTIM

STRANGLED AND ROBBED

Nanking, Oct. 16. The body of Dr. Susan Waddell, 30 years of age, American wife of a resident of this city, was found this morning near Peichihkoh, a lonely spot on the northern side of the town, near the railway tracks. It is generally believed that Dr. Waddell was robbed and murdered during the night, since her neck bears what seem to be marks of strangulation.

A gold watch and over \$100 in bank notes which she was known to have been carrying were missing from the body.

Dr. Waddell's husband, Mr. Ihsu Shih-chih, is an expert attached to the National Health Administration. Dr. Waddell was formerly a teacher at the Shantung University, Tsinan.—Reuter.

Abandoning Hinduism

"UNTOUCHABLE'S" DECISION

LEADER'S ADVICE

(Special to "Telegraph")

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Harrar, Oct. 15. A declaration has been made by Dr. Ambedkar, who represented the Depressed Classes at the Indian Round Table Conference in London, that he has decided to change his religion.

Addressing ten thousand "Untouchables" at Nasik, a Hindu pilgrim resort, Dr. Ambedkar urged his hearers to abandon Hinduism and adopt any other religion which gives equality of status. He added, "I had the misfortune to be born with the stigma 'Untouchable,' but I won't die a Hindu."

The meeting unanimously adopted a resolution in the sense of Dr. Ambedkar's speech.

Mahatma Gandhi, interviewed at Wardha, said Dr. Ambedkar's speech seemed unbelievable, but if correct it was unfortunate, especially when "Untouchability" was on its last legs.

Dr. Ambedkar is adamant. He says he has made up his mind, and the masses must decide whether they will follow his lead.—Reuter Special.

CURRENCY PROBLEMS REVIEWED

STABILISATION NOT YET ACHIEVABLE

MORGENTHAU IN EUROPE

(Special to "Telegraph")

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Paris, Oct. 15. If European countries wish to discuss stabilisation and the currency question, we are ready at any time to discuss them—but so far we have received no such request from England or France," declared Mr. Henry Morgenthau, U. S. Secretary of Treasury, in a talk with pressmen this evening.

Mr. Morgenthau said he had had conversations with M. Laval, the Premier, M. Rognier, the Finance Minister, M. Tannery, the Governor of the Bank of France, and M. Trip, Head of the Bank of Holland, but he had only touched in a general way monetary problems, such as stabilisation.

Mr. Morgenthau denied that there had been any discussion on the financial or economic sanctions against Italy, and declared that there was no need to worry about the flow of gold to the United States, since the gold entering America in the last eighteen months did not equal the amount of newly-mined gold, and no gold had been withdrawn from central banks.—Reuter Special.

HOPELESS PROSPECT

Paris, Oct. 15.

A Bank of France official to-day told the *United Press* that the United States Secretary of the Treasury, Mr. Henry Morganthau, following a series of private conferences with the French Premier, M. Laval and M. Jean Tannery, Governor of the Bank of France, "has taken away a definite impression that any move for stabilisation is hopeless at present."

Bankers realise that the financial sanctions against Italy will result in an economic autarchy and keep the whole world in the economic doldrums for a period which it is impossible to estimate.—United Press.

STOP PRESS

Shanghai, Oct. 15.

The completion of the men's track and field events in the National Athletic Meet finds Shanghai first on the track with 77 points, followed by Malaya, with 23, and Shensi with 17. Lianoning with 16 and Kwangtung with 13. Shanghai was also first in the field events with 51 points, followed by Lianoning, 24, Peiping, 19, Nanking, 14, Kwangtung, 12, Hopei, 10 and Malaya, 7. In the women's track and field events, Shanghai was first with 130 points, Malaya, 46, Kwangtung, 26, Fukien, 22 and Honan, 10.—Reuter.

SOLIDLY BACKING LEAGUE

HOARE REAFFIRMS BRITISH STAND

FOLLY OF OUR TIMES

London, Oct. 15.

The Foreign Secretary, Sir Samuel Hoare, broadcast an address this afternoon to the Fifth Annual Women's Conference on current problems which is meeting in New York. He said he hoped his speech in the League Assembly on September 11 had established beyond doubt that the British people were solidly behind the Covenant in a determination to resist all acts of unprovoked aggression and to substitute peaceful methods of settlement for war.

He had tried to look beyond the immediate political difficulties to the causes of bitterness and strife, and had selected for special attention among the causes to be removed, the question of the control and distribution of colonial raw materials. He had suggested it would be well to anticipate a controversy by examining this question without unnecessary delay.

Sir Samuel Hoare then commented to his hearers the recent publication of the Economic Section of the League Secretariat called, "Remarks on the present phase of international economic relations," describing it as a sermon on the folly of our times. He cited the statement, "The malady from which the world is now suffering is not longer entirely a crisis but rather an inability of countries to co-ordinate their efforts to emerge from the crisis" and himself continued, "I fully agree. It seems to me that the lowering of barriers to international trade, slow and difficult as the task must inevitably be, is one of the most fundamental of the tasks of the present time.

It is a task that must be persistently and courageously pursued, not only by ministers of commerce who desire to promote the economic welfare of the world, but also more by all those who wish to promote international friendship and serve the great cause of peace."

SAME IDEALS

The Foreign Secretary referred appreciatively to the constant advocacy of these ideals by the American Secretary of State, Mr. Cordell Hull, and the sympathetic remarks in the same sense made by the French Minister of Commerce, M. Bonnet, in the League Assembly. He recalled that when the Assembly adopted a resolution recommending free trade between nations, Mr. Hull had sent a message cordially supporting the League's endeavours.

It was a source of great encouragement that the Government (Continued on Page 7).

ANGLO-FRENCH DIFFERENCE

BRITAIN ASKED TO REMOVE FLEET?

AUSTEN CHAMBERLAIN SPEAKS HIS MIND

(SPECIAL TO "TELEGRAPH")

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London, Oct. 15.

There are indications, mere whisperings as yet, of serious differences between the British and French views with respect to the European crisis arising out of the Italo-Ethiopian dispute.

Well-informed quarters to-day professed ignorance of the reported French request that Great Britain should remove her Home Fleet units from the Mediterranean. In official quarters it was emphasised that Britain's attitude was unchanged and that the Italo-Ethiopian dispute was now in the hands of the League of Nations.

Moreover, Britain had already assured Italy that she had no aggressive intentions in the Mediterranean, it was recalled.—United Press.

Paris, Oct. 15. "We are astonished and shocked by the apparent hesitation and egotistical considerations which seem to characterise the French conduct in affairs in Europe," is the statement attributed to Sir Austen Chamberlain in an interview published by *Le Soir* to-day.

Sir Austen is quoted further as having stated that to maintain the League Covenant Great Britain was ready to back up her position by any measures which might be necessary, of whatever character they might be.

He emphasised that Britain was actuated by the League Covenant, and not by any special interests.

If other nations signatory to the Covenant failed in their obligations at this decisive hour, he declared, Britain would consider herself released from her obligations in Europe.—Reuter Special.

LEAGUE WELDING EMBARGO

LINKS OF CHAIN TAKING SHAPE

IMPOSING LIST

Geneva, Oct. 15.

Link by link, the sanctions chain is being inexorably woven at League of Nations' committee sessions. The Economic sub-Committee to-day gave first reading to a list of materials necessary for the conduct of a war on the basis of which, after further consideration, the anti-Italian embargo will be recommended.

The list is not yet published, but is believed to include rubber, glycerine, iron ore, pig iron, lead, copper, zinc, manganese, tungsten, and nitric acid.

The aim of the committee is first to attack the products which are supplied to Italy entirely or mainly by the states participating in sanctions. The question of certain other manufactured or semi-manufactured goods is being referred to military experts.

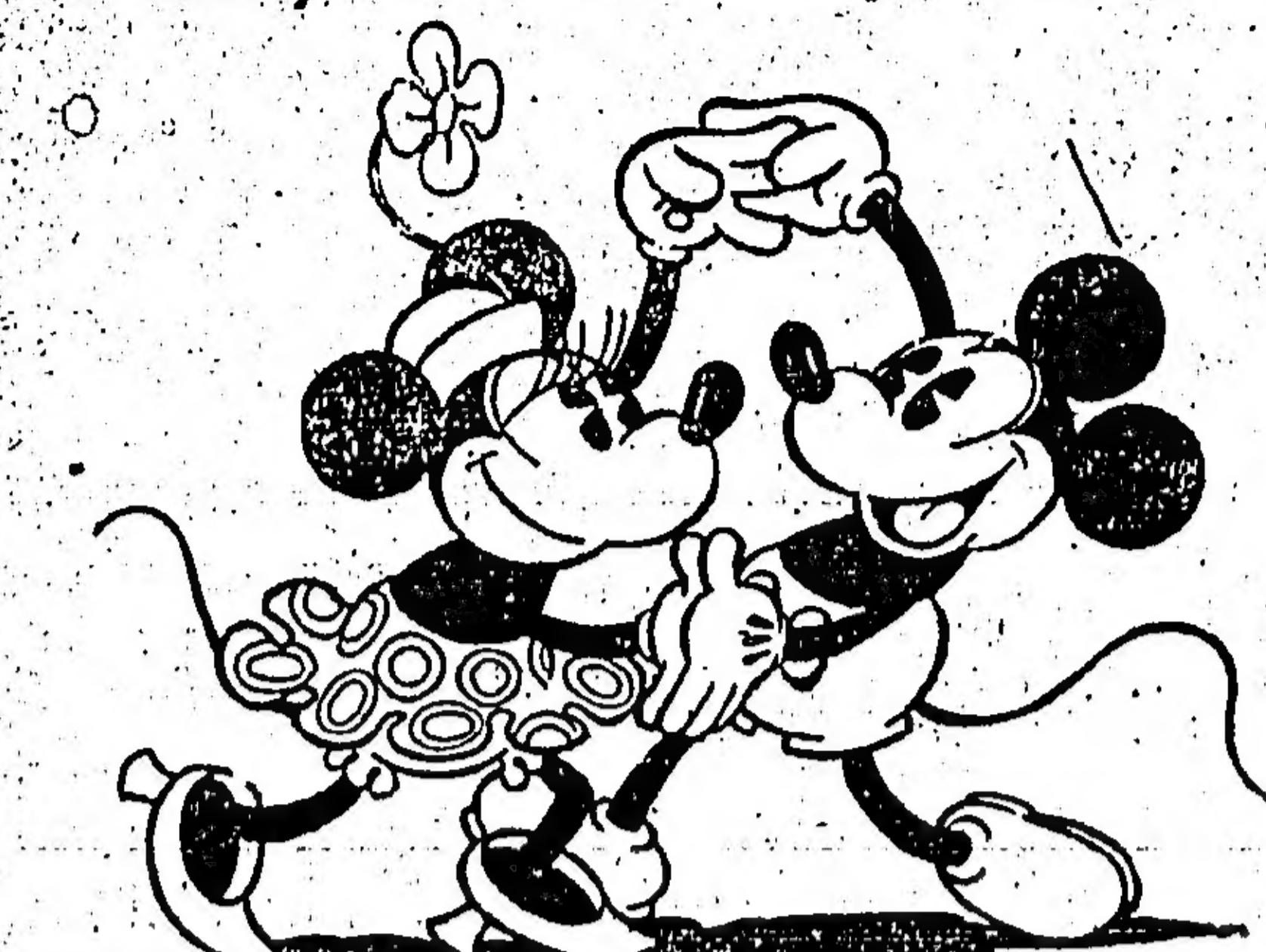
It is understood that the military experts committee has agreed to augment President Roosevelt's list of arms on which an embargo will be recommended, to include all apparatus used in chemical or incendiary warfare. It has been decided that all gases used for war purposes will be included in the prohibited list.—Reuter.

Observers doubt whether Britain will accede to such a plan.—United Press.

Rome, Oct. 15. It is officially stated that no peace proposals were made by either side, during conversations between M. Pierre Laval, the French Prime Minister yesterday, and Signor Corrucci, the Italian Ambassador at Paris, according to an official spokesman.

Reuter was informed by this spokesman that "we do not consider this to be a time to discuss a settlement," while "sanctions are (Continued on Page 7).

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Bud Hamilton, famous motorcycle daredevil, is shown above executing his performance in New Hampshire, America when leaping with his motorcycle from a high diving into a eight foot tank of water. Few moments after this photograph was made, he crashed to earth and was severely injured.

New Quetta Arising On Old Ruins

MILITARY BASE MAY BE REBUILT

Bombay, Oct. 1.
QUETTA is arising from the ruins of the terrible earthquake of May 31. Confidence is returning to the population, and business activity is rapidly reviving.

Although the Western Command headquarters have been moved to Karachi, this new activity removes all doubts as to the revival of the civil station.

"House full" is the usual notice at the cinema, which has been reopened out of doors and with main walls. The films help to relieve the long strain.

The municipality is building earthquake-proof asbestos structures and is finding accommodation for 40 shops for the sale of food and necessities. Four hundred shopkeepers have already applied for premises.

Work of salvage may take as long as 12 months. In the last 10 days seven roads have been cleared and 35 shops, including the cloth market, have had their contents saved.

Cost £6,000,000

The rebuilding of Quetta, laid waste by the earthquake of May 31, with the loss of 30,000 lives, will probably cost about £6,000,000.

This is the estimate given here. But it is emphasised that an accurate figure cannot yet be given.

The Reconstruction Committee has now completed its report. It is believed that it recommends the rebuilding of the military base, with earthquake-proof buildings. The extra cost of making the buildings earthquake-proof will be offset by the use of lighter and cheaper materials.

Pending a Government decision on the question of rebuilding the town, a preliminary examination of the quantity of material required is now being made. It is intended, if the Government approves, to begin work in April.

Further Quakes Unlikely

In the official report on the disaster issued by the India Office last month the view was expressed that further earthquakes in the Quetta region were unlikely "for a long time to come." Experts consider that the earthquake has relieved the accumulated strains in the rocks of the area.

The clearance of the devastated city is making rapid progress, and most of the roads are now free of debris.

GRAND OPERA FILMS

MASTERPIECES FOR SCREEN

U. S. SECURES RIGHT

London, Oct. 1.
FOLLOWING negotiations conducted with the utmost secrecy, Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer have acquired the film rights of nearly the whole of the most famous Italian operas.

This is the most sensational agreement in respect of film rights in the entire history of motion pictures. Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer have paid approximately £50,000 for the rights of these operas.

Meantime M.G.M. have announced the production of the "Tales of Hoffman" with a remarkable cast, including Grace Moore, Jeanette MacDonald, Marion Talley, and Nelson Eddy, who will be remembered for his appearance opposite Jeanette MacDonald in "Naughty Marietta."

Film producers are satisfied that grand opera can be produced in film form, and that the public has been prepared for it by such pictures as "One Night of Love" and "On Wings of Song." Therefore leading producers have been seeking the film rights of nearly all operas in respect of which copyright still exists, and the money asked for the rights has doubled and trebled almost overnight.

One popular French opera was for sale recently at £2,000. Now the amount demanded is £7,000. In some cases the price set on film rights has soared as high as £20,000.

"I Pagliacci"

So far competition has been keenest in respect of "I Pagliacci," which is prized as one of the most valuable of operas in the eyes of film producers.

In this case London has been more enterprising than Hollywood, since the new British company, Capitol Films, has acquired the rights of "I Pagliacci," in which Richard Tauber is to be starred.

The price paid for these rights has not been disclosed, but it is believed to be approximately £18,000.

Artificial Lungs For 15 Days

AUSTRALIAN DOCTORS SAVE LIFE OF YOUNG GIRL

After fifteen days in an artificial respirator a nine year old Melbourne girl, Ruby Currie, has been pronounced off the danger list.

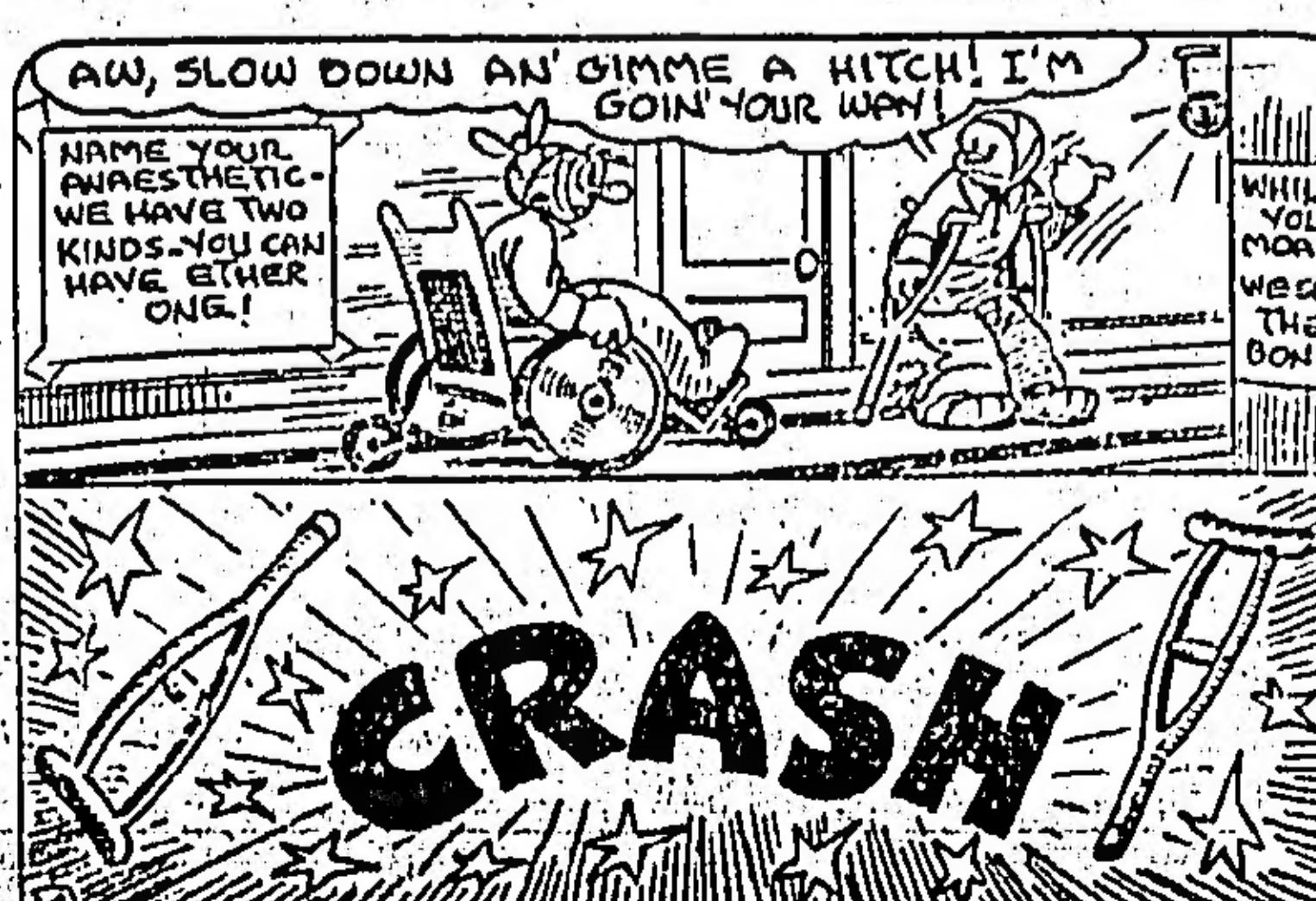
The patient was admitted to the hospital suffering from a rare complication of severe diphtheria.

On the eighth day she was removed for a short period from the respirator to promote the resumption of normal breathing. Thereafter, says *Austral News*, the length of these periods increased and pressure was relaxed as part of a gradual process designed to restore the lung action to normal.

From Adelaide comes the story of another interesting surgical feat. A woman has had all the sympathetic nerves removed from her heart and is in better health than for years past. The surgeon, who reached her heart by operating from the neck, is the same one who removed a bullet from the heart of a man after the slug had passed through the liver.

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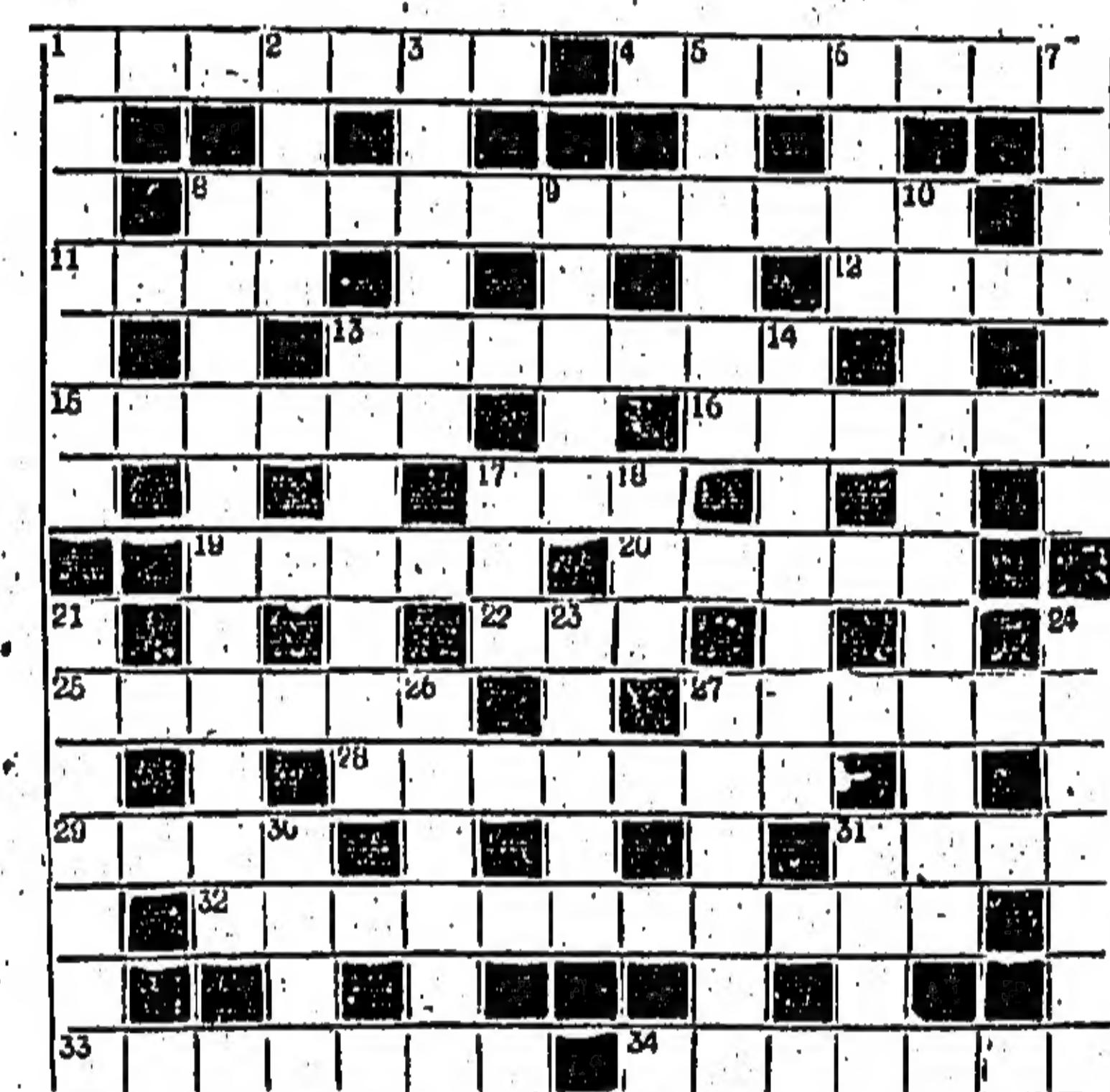
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11 A bird that dives for a Scottish lad.

12 Carriage that might be mine.

13 Those who have a good pull show their craft.

15 Elbows.

16 Biblical character.

17 Here the supply comes to a finish.

19 Not a bridle-path, as one might imagine.

20 Widespread dislike.

21 One likes one for one's money, whatever it's worth.

25 We see a number in the act of holding.

27 Tentative affair, not always entomological.

28 Stood.

29 Standard adaptable to early hours.

31 Excit—making plenty of noise.

33 Home at the end of the chapter.

34 Overdue, being slow en route.

DOWN

1 Scarcely fair to say, Planks down with an interjection, but the compact body is O.K.

2 Content for want of better.

3 Plant that does not desert the desert.

5 Lets out hot air. There's one in Paris.

6 Metrical expression in the tempo employed.

7 Lads can be the cause of it—

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These new marine aircraft will be considerably larger, faster, and more luxurious than any aircraft at present in service on the air routes of Imperial Airways, and, in fact, they will be in advance of any similar craft in the world. The placing of this order represents an essential feature of the development scheme now in progress for the carriage of first-class mails in bulk to and from distant parts of the Empire.

An innovation in so far as Imperial Airways' marine aircraft are concerned is the fact that these aircraft will be of the unbraced high-wing monoplane type with wing-tip floats. All previous marine aircraft on the Empire routes have been of biplane construction. The span is 114 ft. and the over-all length 88½ ft., the height on a benching chassis being 29½ feet.

These new air-liners will have a total loaded weight of approximately 17½ tons, of which between 3½ and 5 tons will be available for passengers, mail and freight for normal stage flights, but they can be given a range up to 1,500 miles by carrying more fuel and less load.

The aircraft will be propelled by four engines having variable pitched propellers, but the type of engine has not yet been finally decided. The speed of these flying-boats is expected to be not far short of 200 miles an hour and is, of course, dependent on the type of engine that is ultimately fitted.

The structure of the hull, the wing and the tail unit, is entirely of metal and a unique feature will be the two decks in the forepart of the hull. The upper one will accommodate crew, mail cargo and the ship's office, and the lower one is of the full cantilever type with a single span of box-like construction, and although the structure is of metal the wing will be covered with fabric and will be fitted with flaps to give the requisite gliding angle.

The entire tail unit is also of the full cantilever type with single control facilities, constructed of metal but covered with fabric. The crew is accommodated in the control cabin on the upper deck in the nose of the short wave and direction finding equipment. The control cabin is completely enclosed, fitted with a sliding roof to permit a rear view, and the most up-to-date equipment for navigational purposes.

It is intended in these boats to give a standard of passenger accommodation far in advance of that of any aircraft at present in existence, and the boats will be fitted with luxurious equipment for day and night flying.

Above all the space per passenger and the lofty ceilings of the passenger cabin will be a revelation and will challenge the comfort of surface transport where weight is of comparatively minor importance.

Man Conquered The World By Using His Greatest Gift

THE GREATEST WONDER OF THE UNIVERSE

3½ Lbs Of Brain To Every 12 Stone Of Flesh

PROF. W. W. Watts, the eminent geologist, in his presidential address to the British Association at Norwich, declared the most wonderful thing in the world to be the brain of man.

"Of all the wonders of the universe of which we have present knowledge, from the electron to the atom, from the virus and the bacillus to the oak and the elephant, from the tiniest meteor to the most magnificent nebula, surely there is nothing to surpass the brain of man," he said.

Prof. Watts referred to new knowledge of those strange great reptiles and mammals of mesozoic times. The Diplodocus, 80 ft. in length and 20 tons in weight, had a brain about the size of a large hen's egg—"a quarter of an ounce to control each ton of body and limb."

"We begin to understand why they lost their lordship of creation," was Dr. Watts's conclusion.

A 12-stone man of the present day had about 3½ lb of brain, an amount not far short of ½ cwt per ton.

Some of the striking passages in Professor Watts's address were:

"Of the age of the earth: 'Here is a lady of a certain age, but she contrived to preserve her youth and energy, as well as her beauty.'

Man, the world's most remarkable parasite, will sigh with relief. There are still some thousands of millions of years to come in the long aeons of time.

Geology and biology unite in giving a conception of the strange changes before history began—lost continents and forests under the sea, ice-bound lands now turned into the Tropics, great slow-moving prehistoric monsters.

Gondwanaland, the vast speculative continent stretching from South Africa by Madagascar and India to Australia; fathoms deep in the oceans now, yet traceable from similarity in rock formations and fossils left behind.

Signs that mountain ranges once linked the British Isles with the continent of North America—"possibility," as Dr. Watts remarked, "undreamt of by the Pilgrim Fathers," but yet confirmed by the flowers, trees, birds, animals common to both continents. At some age a land bridge:

"Air roads over islands lost—Ages since 'neath Ocean lost—"

To the non-scientist unable to follow advanced geological arguments on the "Drift and Rhythms of the Continents," Professor Watts's outline of the evolution of life on earth had special appeal.

"Geology," he said, "has established that, in spite of the physical changes which we know to have occurred the chain of life has never snapped in all the hundreds of millions of years through which its history has been traced."

And when it came to considering animal life the President made it clear that he is a great admirer of the human race.

Early he had said, "Within a small fraction of the latest-known man, with the most primitive of implements and the most rudimentary culture, has succeeded in penetrating to the uttermost corners of the world and developed his innumerable languages and civilisations.

Importance Of Glass
Mr. Eumorfopoulos was one of three experts who spent the first six months of this year in China. They selected treasures from the Imperial Palace at Peking which were taken to England in H.M.S. Suffolk. Should the co-operation of the Russian authorities be secured, it will mean a notable addition to the value and interest of the exhibition.

An exhibition of Oriental art has already opened in Leningrad to-day. It is understood that some of the objects shown there may go to London later. Among the many valuable Chinese pieces now in Russia are superb examples of early silk in work from Inner Mongolia and Chinese Turkestan.

In Steel-Lined Cases
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The four Chinese experts who arrived in Britain last month will soon open the chests, and begin the delicate task of unpacking the treasures which they themselves packed in Shanghai.

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To ensure that their methods were sound they first carefully wrapped and packed valueless porcelain, and then flung it on the ground 25 feet away. That it remained intact reassured them.

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SHIP CONSTRUCTION

BRITAIN AND GERMANY IN THE LEAD

London, Oct. 15. A hundred ships, totalling 630,554 tons, were under construction in Britain and Ireland on September 30, according to Lloyd's quarterly returns. There is a total of 178 ships under construction in other countries, totalling 667,415 tons, of which Germany is building 268,340 tons, Sweden, 8,000, Holland 62,645, Japan 61,305, Denmark, 64,513, France 46,620, Italy 24,230, United States 10,800. The tonnage of the world's motor ships is 715,083 and of oil tankers 331,688.—*Reuters*.

CORDIAL WELCOME TO CHINESE STUDENTS

Dr. Chou Lou, Chancellor of Sun Yat-sen University, is in receipt to-day of a letter from Dr. Glen Frank, the President of the University of Wisconsin, stating that students from the local university can be admitted to Wisconsin for higher courses.

In other words, the work done here is given full standing in Wisconsin, one of the leading universities in the United States.

Dr. Frank hopes that the Sun Yat-sen University graduates there will have a pleasant stay in Madison.

The Oregon State Agricultural College, also gladly welcomes students from Sun Yat-sen University for advanced study there.—*Union News*.

EXCHANGE RATES

	Oct. 14.	Oct. 15.
Paris.	74.27/64	74.29/64
Geneva.	15.05	15.06
Berlin.	12.18	12.20
Athens.	514	514
Milan.	603	603
Shanghai.	17.64	17.64
New York.	4.004	4.004
Amsterdam.	7.23/2	7.24
Vienna.	20	20
Prague.	118.9/16	118%
Bucharest.	621	623
Madrid.	167	167
Lisbon.	110/2	110/2
Hongkong.	27.04	27.04
Brussels.	20.14	20.15
Monte Video.	39	39
Belgrade.	1.97 1/2	1.97 1/2
Montreal.	1.21/1.32	1.21/1.32
Helsingfors.	220/3	220/3
Rio.	43	43
Buenos Aires.	15	15
Silver (Spot).	29.5	29.5
Silver (Forward).	29.7/16	29.7/16
War Loan.	103.11/16	103.11/16
	—British Wireless.	

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By order of the Board of Directors.

J. D. THOMSON,
Secretary.

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Notice is hereby given that on Thursday, the 24th October, 1935, a drawing for the redemption of thirty (30) Debentures will be held in the Pavilion at 5.30 p.m.

The numbers of the Debentures drawn will be published in the Hongkong Government Gazette and the local Newspapers, and holders of drawn Debentures may, upon giving notice to the Treasurers within the six months' notice to which they are entitled, apply, on the 31st October, 1935, to the Treasurers, Messrs. Percy Smith, Seth & Fleming, for payment of the Principal and Interest to the 31st October, 1935.

By Order of the Committee,

A. K. MACKENZIE,
Hon. Secretary.

Hongkong, 14th October, 1935.

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CARPENTER ARRESTED IN NAVAL DOCKYARD

"This is entirely a fabrication on the part of the Indian policeman. He asked me if I had caused him on the night previous, and I said no. He attempted to draw his truncheon and then kicked me several times," pleaded Yuen Ngan, 24, carpenter of the Kin Loo Contractors, when he appeared before Mr. W. S. Scholfield at the Central Police Court yesterday afternoon charged with stealing 43 brass rings from the Royal Naval Dockyard, on September 29.

Defective-Sub-Inspector C. Rozenkwy conducted the prosecution, and stated that the Kin Loo firm were working in the dockyard.

Onor Din, P. C. 84, of the Royal Naval Yard Police, testified that about 10.15 a.m. on September 29, while on duty on the Praya he saw a defendant standing outside the window of the Electrical Store holding two strings of brass rings in his left hand with his right hand up, facing the window, which was open. Witness arrested him and took him to the main gate to report to Sergeant Philpott. Witness did not question the defendant, who asked to be given a chance. Witness denied assaulting the defendant, and added that in the presence of the European sergeant defendant made no complaint.

H. W. Morris, chargeman of electrical fittings, identified the property.

Sergeant E. C. Philpott deposed to having seen defendant struggling with the Indian. The defendant did not complain of being assaulted.

Thief Denied

Defendant, in evidence, denied the theft, and stated the Indian accused him of cursing him and his (the Indian's) mother.

Young Chuen, of 2, Tin Po Street, and Cheuk Mui, of 50, Tai Yuen Street, both earth coolie women employed by Kin Loo, gave evidence for the defence. The former testified that she saw defendant emerge from a latrine and he was immediately approached by the Indian who had two strings of brass rings in his hand. She heard the defendant ask why he was being arrested. The Indian said nothing but kept pushing him on.

Cotton:—Sentiment is bullish, and the market acts, well in view of heavy hedging, but the coming Supreme Court action regarding the Government control of oil is a new factor, which may delay general participation. The outlook is bullish and the "spot" demand is excellent. The basis is firm.

Wheat:—A technical upturn, was witnessed to-day. Traders are inclined to await an announcement of policy by the new Canadian Government.

Corn:—Sentiment is more favourable, due to the strong cash position and the improbability of new crop deliveries in the immediate future. There was some buying to-day, apparently for a quick turn.

Rubber:—Price advanced on the strong "spot" situation, higher London advices and support by manufacturers. It is probable that reactions will be witnessed.

Hides:—We hear that there were heavy sales from the Argentine owing to strong advances.

A fine of \$30, with the alternative of three weeks' hard labour, was imposed.

REUTER QUOTATIONS

DAYLY Averages

Oct. 14. Oct. 15.

Oct. 15. Oct. 16.

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LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

LATEST SHARE QUOTATIONS.

The following quotations on the London Stock Exchange have been received by Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz in conjunction with Reuters.

Oct. 14, 1935.

British Government Securities

War Loan 3 1/2%.

reduced, after 1952 £103% £103%.

Chinese Bonds

4 1/2% Bonds 1898

(Eng. Ins.) £101% £101%.

4 1/2% Loan 1908 £100 £100.

5% Loan 1912 £78% £78%.

5% Reorg. Loan 1913 (Ldn. Ins.) £92% £92%.

5% Bonds 1925-47 £100 £90%.

5% Shai-Nanking Ry. £70% £70%.

5% Tientsin-Pukow Ry. £22 £22.

5% Tientsin-Pukow Ry. (Supl.) £23% £23%.

5% Canton Ry. £25 £25.

5% Hukkuang Ry. 1911 £30 £30.

5% Lung Tsin-U. Hat Ry. 1913 £11% £11%.

Foreign Bonds and Banks

German 7% Int. Loan 1924 £60% £57%.

Japan 5% Sterling Loan 1907 £70% £70.

Japan 6% Sterling Loan 1924 £92 £92.

H.K. & Shai Bk. (Ldn. Regd.) £105% £105%.

Chartd. Bk. of I.A. & C. £13% £13%.

Commercial and Industrial

Allied Iron Found. 38/3 38/-.

Associated Elec. Industries 35/3 34/9.

Austin Motors ord. sh. 40/- 44/6.

Boots 5/- sh. 47/6 47/6.

British-Amer. Tobacco (barer) 111/10% 111/10%.

Canadian Canecans 78/9 76/3.

Chinese Eng. and Min. (Bearer) 10/0 10/0.

Courtaulds 53/9 53/6.

Distillers 92/3 91/6.

Dunlop Rubber 35/4% 36/4%.

Electric Musical Industries 25/3 25/3.

General Electric (England) 52/6 52/3.

Hawker Aircraft 32/- 31/6.

Imperial Chem. Ind. 34/10% 34/9.

O.K. Biscuits 35/- 34/9.

R.J. Tobacco 130/10% 136/3.

Roth. Royce 21 sh. 150/3 154/4%.

Shai Elec. Constr. 44/- 44/-.

Tate & Lyle 82/- 81/6.

Turner & Newall 56/- 55/6.

United Steel 32/4% 32/1%.

Vickers ord. 18/9 18/4%.

Watney, Combe & Reid. def. ord. 71/6 71/-.

Woolworths 108/6 108/6.

Miscellaneous

Anglo-Dutch 23/6 23/-.

Gulf, Kalimpong 21/6 21/6.

Rubber 20/6 20/6.

Pekin Synd. 2/- 1/3.

Rubber Trust 20/6 20/6.

Mines

Burma Corp. Ra. 10 11/10% 11/10%.

Commonwealth Mining 10/6 10/6.

R and Donten Estates 50/9 50/3.

Sparwater Gold 62/6 61/10%.

Mining 7/- 6/9.

Springs Mines 40/- 40/-.

Sub-Nigel 245/- 246/3.

Rhokana Corp. 105/- 105/-.

Oils

Anglo-Persian 62/6 61/10%.

Burma Oil 74/4% 73/9.

Shell Trans. and Trad. (Bearer) 73/9 73/1%.

Chosen Corp. 16/3 16/3.

Marsman Investments, Ltd. 24/- 23/6.

U.S. COMMODITY PRICES

LATEST CABLED QUOTATIONS

The following quotations on the New York commodity exchange are issued by Reuters.

Oct. 14, Oct. 15.

October 10.84 10.87/87.

December 10.81 10.82/83.

January 10.80 10.83/83.

March 10.90 10.90/92.

May 10.92 10.93/95.

July 10.00 10.97/99.

Spot 11.20 11.25.

New York Rubber

December 12.68 12.82/82.

January 12.74 12.60/90.

March 12.87 13.04/00.

May 13.02 13.18/20.

July 13.17 13.31/31.

Total sales—257 lots.

Chicago Wheat

December 102% 103% 104.

May 101% 102% 102%.

July 91% 92% 92%.

Monday's sales: 32,142,000 bushels.

Chicago Corn

December 69% 61% 61%.

May 68% 60% 60%.

July 69% 60% 60%.

Monday's sales: 5,612,000 bushels.

Winnipeg Wheat

October 90% 91% 91%.

December 91% 92% 92%.

May 95% 95% 95%.

New York Sugar

December 2.52 2.50/51.

January 2.17 2.13/14.

March 2.14 2.10/11.

May 2.17 2.14/15.

July 2.21 2.18/19.

Total sales—3,000 tons.

New York Silk

December 1.96 1.94/94%.

March 1.94 1.93/94%.

May 1.94 1.93/93%.

Total sales—140 lots.

Montreal Silver

December 60 60/60.

January 60/60 65/60/70.

March 67.30 67.35/70.

May 67.70 67.25/85.

Total sales—3 contracts.

CINEMA NEWS

NOTES FROM THE THEATRES

A character endeared to millions by the *Saturday Evening Post* stories and the books of Gilbert K. Chesterton assumes real flesh and blood and comes to life on the screen in Paramount's feature "Father Brown, Detective," now at the Alhambra. As acted by Walter Connolly, he is the same amiable, eccentric and foxy old character who catches the thief with kind words and intelligence where the police of the world had failed with their modern detective methods. The story of "Father Brown, Detective," is built about the Flying Star diamond in Father Brown's possession and the efforts of Flambeau, notorious jewel thief to get them. Although Father Brown has the thief well within his grasp several times, he refuses to apprehend him and turn him over to the police until he has recanted of his own free will. The fight for the diamonds thus resolves itself into a battle of wit and will, with a beautiful girl who loves Flambeau taking a hand in the fight. At last Flambeau, convinced of the error of his ways, gives himself up freely to the police, hoping to recant his crimes and earn the respect of the girl he loves. And Father Brown plays double roles of sleuth and cupid. Paul Lukas and Gertrude Michael are cast in the supporting roles and Robert Loraine, Una O'Connor and Hallie well Hobbes appear in the featured cast. Directed by Edward Sedgwick, "Father Brown, Detective," was produced by Bayard Veiller, who has proven himself, in the past, a successful producer of mystery thrillers; notably, the recent "Moloney" and "The Notorious Sophie Lang."

"Wings in the Dark"

INTERNATIONAL PEACE

CORDELL HULL'S PROPOSALS

Washington, Oct. 15. A three-fold international effort for peace and prosperity was advocated by Mr. Cordell Hull in a broadcast speech, when he asked simultaneous international action for firstly, vigorous rebuilding of international trade, secondly, for gradual restoration of monetary stability, and thirdly, for an international agreement ensuring that all important raw materials should be available at reasonable prices wherever they might be needed.

He said that nothing could be clearer than that conflict leaves it seeds of future conflict. Mastery of the causes of conflict is only obtainable by simultaneous action of many countries. Morgenstern in Paris

With reference to raw materials, and echoing Sir Samuel Hoare's recent words about them, it would seem to indicate that the United States has no objection to participating in discussions, while reference to monetary stability is regarded as important, especially as Mr. Morgenstern, Secretary of the Treasury Department, who is present in Paris, yesterday reminded pressmen that the United States is ready to discuss stabilization and exchange rates.

Mr. Morgenstern yesterday saw the French Finance Minister, and to-day interviewed M. Laval.—Reuter.

RADIO BROADCAST

(Continued from Page 7.)

Greenwich Time Signal at 8 p.m. 8 p.m. Quentin Maclean, at the Organ of the Teoceras Cinema. 8.30 p.m. Marie Ney (New Zealand Stage and Film Star) (supported by Speight and Valentine Dunn). 8.50 p.m. Charles Manning and his Orchestra. 9 p.m. The News. 9.15 p.m. Charles Manning and his Orchestra (cont'd.). 9.45 p.m. Close down.

Transmission 3 (G.S.B. 10-11.45 p.m.; U.S.B. 10 p.m.-1 a.m.; G.S.B. 12-1 a.m.) 10 p.m. Big Band Train presents the Continentals in Songs and Duetts. 10.45 p.m. Big Band, The B.B.C. Dance Orchestra. 10.45 p.m. Sports Talk. 11 p.m. A Piano-Forte Interlude by John Willis. 11.15 p.m. The Bournemouth Municipal Orchestra. 12.15 a.m. Jan Berenka and his Orchestra. 12.30 a.m. The Varsity Trio. 12.45 a.m. Jan Berenka and his Orchestra (cont'd.). 1 a.m. Close down.

Transmission 4 (G.S.B. and G.S.D.) 1.15 a.m. Big Band Train presents the Continentals in Songs and Duetts.

2 a.m. The News. 2.15 a.m. The London Shows. 2.30 a.m. The Brundhurst Trio, Dorothy Westwell (Soprano).

Greenwich Time Signal at 7 p.m. 7 p.m. Automat-Corners—No. 42. 7.15 a.m. Production by Walford Hyden's Band.

Greenwich Time Signal at 8 p.m. 8.15 a.m. "Bulldog Drummond" (Part 1). 8.45 a.m. Close down.

PROGRAMME II

8 a.m. Symphony Concert. The B.B.C. Orchestra (Section D).

2.30 a.m. The Vario Trio.

6 a.m. October Review.

6.45 a.m. Close down.

The heroes of Paramount's stirring adventure drama, "Car 99," showing to-day at the Queen's Theatre, is a narrow purple thread, almost invisible at a distance of a few feet. Those threads caused Paramount a great deal of trouble during the filming of the picture. When the tailoring department began to make the tunics for the troopers, the purple threads were committed. Karl Detzer, author of the Saturday Evening Post story from which "Car 99" was adapted, on the Paramount lot as technical adviser, saw the error. Although Charles Barton, the director, was ready to start shooting the picture, work was stopped while tailors worked all night putting in the purple threads. The purple thread incident is one of the example of the efforts made for absolute accuracy in this picture. True incidents from the annals of the Michigan State Police were used to illustrate the efficiency and dispatch with which the police handle routine cases. The gripping climax of the picture shows the "great round-up" in which all the forces of the state are massed to track down a gang of desperadoes and bank robbers.

"Lilies of the Field"

Guy Fawkes' Day, November 5th, is a bright, cheerful and exciting day in London. Several thousand rockets illuminate the sky annually on the anniversary of Mr. Fawkes' attempt to set Parliament sky high. A lot of rockets were released on their starry paths on Guy Fawkes' Day in 1904, and one at least has not stopped rocketting yet. Miss Winifred Shuter is quite the brightest star that appeared in the heavens on that particular 5th November. Miss Shuter began her acting career at the tender age of twelve, and her latest appearance is as the star of "Lilies of the Field," which is at the King's Theatre to-day. In this she has the part of an ultra-modern girl brought up in a country village, who decides on a novel plan for engaging the attention of a young and handsome visitor. She adopts crinolines, nosegays, and all the perquisites of old-world charm.

The result is that the young man, played by Anthony Bushell, is completely floored, and she herself is introduced to Mayfair to become the craze of society. And Winifred Shuter with her brown hair, brown eyes, and perfect figure (she stands 5 ft. 2 1/2 in. and weighs 7 st. 6 lbs.) could well be the leader of society anywhere.

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**BRITISH TRADE
TRENDS**

One of the most striking features of British commercial expansion, shown by study of statistics over a period of the past quarter of a century, is that the country's export trade has fallen off in importance when compared with its internal trade. It has been estimated that in 1907, over thirty per cent. of the national production was exported; in 1924-25 the proportion was about one-quarter; in 1930-31 it was approximately one-fifth; while in 1934 the proportion was down to about one-sixth. These figures make it clear that, for some time prior to the depression, Britain has had to adjust her industrial organisation to a gradual decline in the proportion of home production sold externally—an influence which has been apparent in the difficulties, during most of the post-war period, encountered in many of the exporting industries of the country. The sharp reduction in the volume of shipments in recent years has, however, greatly accentuated these difficulties. The figures now disclosed serve to illustrate the great extent to which the recent recovery has been due to an expansion in production for the home market, and it is felt that, in the absence of any material increase in external trade, further revival will depend on the country's ability to extend this development in the future. It is not to be inferred that British overseas trade has not expanded recently; it has, and is now showing a steady improvement from the low level reached during the depression. Moreover, in certain directions abroad there are indications that the need for a relaxation of excessive barriers to international trade is being more fully realised in authoritative quarters. But after giving due weight to these influences, there would appear, according to a British banking authority, little hope of a return in the near future to anything approaching the position prevailing even in 1929. Further progress can no doubt be achieved through a continuance of the policy of bilateral trading agreements between the United Kingdom and other countries, which has produced such beneficial results, while it may prove possible to expand the area of free trade by the conclusion of regional agreements between groups of nations. Nevertheless, it would appear, in the view of the authority quoted, that for some time Britain will have to rely on the home market in a much larger degree than in comparatively recent years for the employment of its population.

NOTES OF THE DAY

TOO SOON TO CROW

Mr. Bennett, the Prime Minister of Canada (but not for very much longer) was a little previous when he told electors in the West that the Liberal Party of the Dominion had no more chance of winning the federal election than — he might have mentioned the proverbial snowball—the Social Credit Party. Mr. Bennett, of course, was very sure his own Government would be returned. But theickle electorate which gave him a substantial majority in 1930 turned to an earlier love, and has embraced once more the axioms of Liberalism, and, incidentally, Mr. William Lyon Mackenzie King, descendant of the great statesman for whom he was named. Moreover, the Social Credit Party, that despised Albertan group which won the Provincial election a few weeks ago with a programme admittedly experimental in the economic sense, is leading the polls in the federal ridings there; and is making a serious bid for support in the neighbouring province of Saskatchewan. We are not well acquainted with Mr. Mackenzie King's platform in this campaign. We know that Mr. Bennett advocated a measure of controlled inflation, and actually has carried out this principle in national finance during the past two years. It is probable that the Liberals will not radically depart from this policy. Mr. Bennett was about to complete a trade arrangement with the United States. It is likely that Mr. King will complete it, for that is some of his own sauce which the Conservatives stirred into their pudding. Free trade, or something like it, has been the Liberal catchword for generations. But as far as basic national policies are concerned we do not expect to see any revolutionary changes with the advent of a Liberal Government. Mr. Mackenzie King is cautious, if nothing else. He is coming back to power with the turn of the tide in world economics. He ought to enjoy a satisfactory tenure of office.

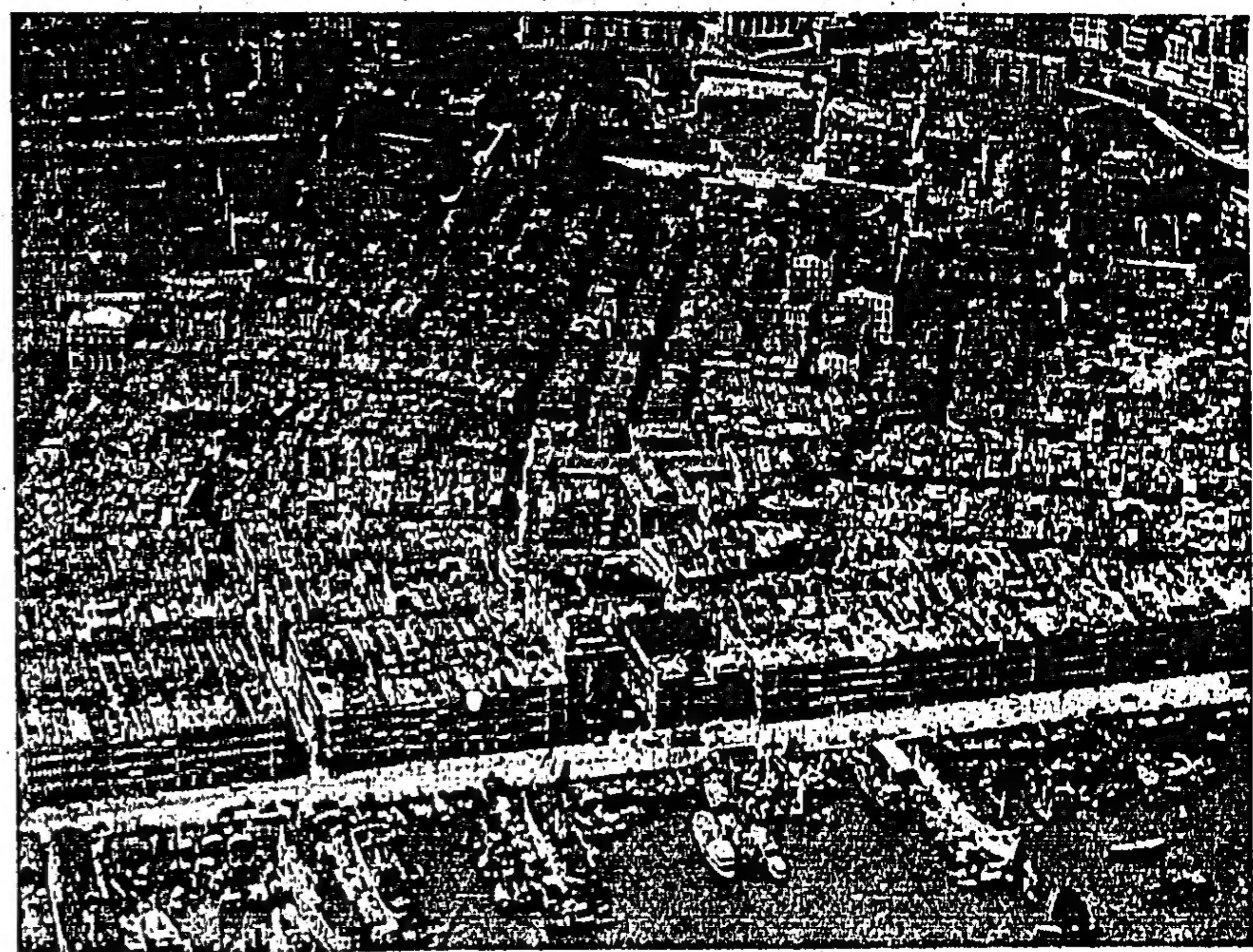
TOWARDS INFLATION

One thing and another leads us to believe that the United States may be nearer to inflation on a grand scale than ever before. For some time past experts have been predicting it, and various groups, the Veterans' Bonus folk, the Frazier-Lemke bill supporters, the western Silverites, and the out-and-out inflation cranks, are pushing towards that goal. Senator Thomas, that industrious worker for higher silver prices, believing that remonetisation of silver will immediately solve all the nation's financial ills, is bringing pressure to bear upon the influential Western Silver Bloc of Senators, declaring that unless they support his remonetisation plan, he will abandon all interest in the silver programme. Senator Thomas is aiming at \$1.29 per ounce for silver, and while there are few who believe that that level will be reached, at least in the next few years, it is not impossible that he will achieve his goal. Meanwhile, the Western Silver Bloc is meeting in Salt Lake City, with Senator Key Pittman in the chair, and sensational developments may come from that gathering. From this we gather that the next session of Congress may see the sparks fly when Democratic Silverites attempt to force their theories down the throats of the Administration, possibly backed by a stout contingent from the opposite party.

NEEDED—A MIRACLE

There is no excuse for optimism in the announcement that Japan has agreed to attend a naval conference in London before the end of the year. Any hope that a re-suscitation of the old agreements was possible must be abandoned in view of the Japanese statement that, though they were willing to attend a conference, their attitude upon the principle of equality of naval armaments remained unchanged. Japan's contention, briefly, is that no nation should possess a navy of a size and strength which will constitute a menace to another power, or which can be classed as a powerful "aggressive" force. Japan's idea is all for defensive strength. That sounds like a reasonable argument until one reaches the second point: equality. Granted that defensive strength is necessary, how can a navy adequate for the defence of Japan be adequate for the defence of the British possessions? The suggestion is ridiculous. But it is upon this basis of argument, apparently, that the Japanese representatives will go to London. In view of the American attitude, which is simply that Japanese equality can never be accepted by America, we fear that only a miracle can bring any benefit out of the proposed London naval conference.

An Old Hand Looks At The Colony



West Point, by day, dirty and squalid, by night a myriad of twinkling city lights, each with its own story of drama to tell, could we but hear.

WRITING an article on Hongkong is one of the easiest things in the world, but finding something new to say of this well covered subject is almost as difficult as finding beauty in its streets or virtue in its famous Peak.

Without being clever—a fatal drawback to sincere composition—it is hard for an old hand to be enthusiastic over the Island of Fragrant Streams when there is a water shortage several months of the year and what water there is, is impregnated with typhoid.

Sure for his first entrance into the harbour he cannot, either, see eye to eye with the banal ravings of the tourist for, though the situation is pleasing room for just one more, to the eye and the Island looks pretty enough at night, the climate, smells and dirt are such that he would willingly exchange them for the bleakest view if he could.

The terrain is covered with white man introduced the game, trees which, he is at some pains made its rules and set a high standard. Now the standard is to impress upon newcomers, declared that unless they support his remonetisation plan, he will abandon all interest in the silver programme. Senator Thomas is aiming at \$1.29 per ounce for silver, and while there are few who believe that that level will be reached, at least in the next few years, it is not impossible that he will achieve his goal. Meanwhile, the Western Silver Bloc is meeting in Salt Lake City, with Senator Key Pittman in the chair, and sensational developments may come from that gathering. From this we gather that the next session of Congress may see the sparks fly when Democratic Silverites attempt to force their theories down the throats of the Administration, possibly backed by a stout contingent from the opposite party.

In one feature the Colony excels itself; that is in its climate is not suited to the white man and he cannot expect to attend sport. For this purpose numerous Clubs have been stationed all over the Peninsula and at Happy Valley where the sports can be in obstacle to his recreation.

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RUBBER POSITION SOUND

PITFALLS TO BE AVOIDED

REDUCED STOCKS

London, Oct. 15. The rubber position appears to be stronger. It is generally recognised that since the stocks held by manufacturers in countries suffering acute exchange difficulties have been reduced to a bare minimum, according to the chairman of Harrison-Crossfield, speaking at the annual meeting of that concern to-day.

He added that a further reduction of stocks was assured with the absorption continuing at the present rate.

The suggestion that the selling crop controlled by all companies domiciled in the United Kingdom should be concentrated in one hand appeared liable to cause a serious dislocation in the flow of trade and would soon destroy the organisation upon which they were able to rely at present to maintain London as the world's principal free market.

Referring to ton, the chairman said the potential producing capacity was well ahead of current world consumption and it was essential to the interests of all concerned that the international agreement be continued.—*Reuter*.

PREMIER MEETS CRITICS

CONSERVATIVE GROUPS INTERVIEWED

London, Oct. 15. The Prime Minister, accompanied by the Under-Secretary for Foreign Affairs, received to-day two small delegations of Conservative members of both Houses of Parliament, one brought by Mr. L. M. S. Amery, and the other representing the Imperial Policy Group.

The purpose of their visit was to put before the Premier their views on foreign policy, with special reference to the Italo-Abyssinia dispute and its treatment at Geneva.

Mr. Amery has in recent speeches given voice to some misgivings regarding recent developments in the international situation, and it is assumed he explained his doubts at the interview to-day. He is also expected to speak in the debate on foreign affairs when the House of Commons re-assembles on October 22.—*British Wireless*.

NORTH-WEST FRONTIER

MOHAMMED HEADMAN SUBMITS

The Upper Mohammed-headman submitted to the Governor of the North-West frontier at a *jirga* held at Wuchajawar, following the recent incident in which a number of British casualties were suffered.

Replying to a request for peace, the Governor explained the Government policy and demands in a speech delivered in Pushtu, illustrated by local proverbs.

The road to Nahakki on the frontier is nearing completion, and all troops are expected to return to barracks early in November.—*Reuter*.

AUSTRALIAN FLYER CRASHES

FLIGHT ATTEMPT ABANDONED

London, Oct. 15. Mr. H. F. Broadbent, the Australian aviator who left Darwin on Friday on an attempt to break the record for a flight to England, has had to abandon the attempt at Basra.

His machine was badly damaged in a crash, but Mr. Broadbent was not seriously hurt.—*British Wireless*.

BANKERS ESCAPE

Douglas, Ariz., Oct. 15. A party of American bankers, headed by Mr. J. H. Burrell, vice-President of the National City Bank of New York, who it was feared might run foul of the Mexican revolutionists, has been in touch with the leaders of the revolt. A message from the bankers' party states they were treated courteously and that they intend to continue their hunting expedition.—*United Press*.

LEAGUE WELDING EMBARGO

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cotton largely drawn from non-member states; and those like manganese and iron, some minerals and rarer metals like tungsten and wolfram, the source of which is practically entirely in the hands of League members.

No action is likely to be taken to restrict Italy's supplies of the first category until non-members of the League can be consulted, but recommendations for immediate action are expected with respect to the second group of commodities.

The Economic Committee will discuss the question of the anti-Italian boycott of exports to-morrow.—*Reuter*.

BUSY DAY

London, Oct. 15. Committees and sub-committees have been busy all to-day at Geneva preparing proposals for submission to the Committee of the League which is co-ordinating the measures to be put into operation by League members in fulfilment of their obligations arising out of the Italian resort to war in disregard of the Covenant and who wish a restoration of peace by an agreed settlement.

At a meeting of the sub-committee for mutual assistance, the Chairman said there was no idea that certain countries should receive compensation for sacrifices they might have to make, or that others should give such compensation. "We are all called to make sacrifices with a view to the restoration of peace. Peace is well worth sacrifices. It demands less sacrifice than war, but in conformity with Paragraph 3 of Article XVI we must reach an agreement to minimise the loss and inconvenience resulting from the application of sanctions."

The Committee is examining the possibility of opening new markets in favour of countries suffering loss of export through the trade embargo against Italy.

The Economic Sub-committee has been considering the imposition of an embargo on exports to Italy of key products, and also the refusal by League Powers to receive exports from Italy.

According to press telegrams a list of key products is being drawn up and includes materials necessary for the manufacture of munitions of war. There is a general expectation in Geneva that the work of the various sub-committees will be sufficiently advanced to be brought before a meeting of the full Co-ordinating Committee, which consists of one representative of each State member, on Saturday. The position of countries which have delayed themselves unable fully to discharge their obligations in collaboration with their fellow League members is also being considered. One suggestion, according to press messages, is that exports of key products to these countries might be restricted to their own actual needs, so as to leave no room for exports to Italy.—*British Wireless*.

No Date For Election

BRITISH CABINET UNDECIDED

London, Oct. 15. It is understood that no definite date was fixed for the General Election at to-day's meeting of the Cabinet, but it is learned that there is a strong body of feeling in the Cabinet in favour of the earliest possible appeal to the

The view is expressed that when Parliament reassembles on Tuesday next, the only business to be taken should be a three-day debate on foreign affairs, to be followed by a prorogation of Parliament on October 26.

In this case, the dissolution will probably take place on October 26, with nomination day on November 4 and polling day on November 14. Domestic affairs were considered at to-day's meeting of the Cabinet, and it is understood that Ministers will review the international situation to-morrow.—*Reuter*.

BRITISH FINANCES

HIGHER REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE

London, Oct. 15. Exchequer returns show that that the total ordinary revenue, excluding self-balancing items, amounts to £113,389,194, compared with £295,448,800 at the corresponding date of 1934. Receipts from income tax are £60,483,000 against £57,105,000 for the same period of the last financial year. Customs receipts for the week were about a million pounds more than in the corresponding week of last year and stand to date at £105,565,000, compared with £101,119,000 at the corresponding date last year, and with an estimate for the whole year of £188,570,000.

Total ordinary expenditure, exclusive of self-balancing items, is £81,251,025, against £62,832,413 at the corresponding date of 1934.—*British Wireless*.

U.S. MILITARY ATTACHE

MAJOR FISKE SENT TO ROME

Washington, Oct. 15. Major Norman Fiske has been appointed Assistant Military Attaché to the United States Embassy in Rome. He is leaving to take up the post to-morrow, proceeding via Paris.

It is understood that Major Fiske will proceed to Ethiopia with the Italian armies as an observer, if Signor Mussolini permits foreign military observers to accompany the Italian forces.

Major Fiske is a graduate of an Italian Cavalry School.—*Reuter*.

FALSE ALARM

AMERICAN BANKERS SAFE

New York, Oct. 15. Fears for the safety of five American bankers, including the Vice-President of the National City Bank of New York, while hunting in the province of Eastern Somora, Mexico, have been allayed.

The party was this morning reported to have been captured by bandits, but news has now been received that they are in the hills, and it is stated that no harm has befallen them.—*Reuter Special*.

ANGLO-FRENCH DIFFERENCE

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being considered at Geneva and the atmosphere is one of intimidation against Italy.

"We consider the friendly attitude of the people of the occupied territory in Ethiopia to be complete justification of our policy. We are just going to go ahead."

REPORT INCORRECT

Rome, Oct. 15. A spokesman has assured interviewers that the report of negotiations between Signor Corrucci and M. Pierre Laval in Paris, allegedly for the purpose of discovering a formula for peace, are without any foundation whatever.—*United Press*.

OIL, COAL AND COPPER

Geneva, Oct. 15. M. Robert Coulondre, the French economic export, advised the Economic Sub-Committee of the League to-day not to attempt to withhold oil, coal or copper from Italy because America was the principal producer and these commodities were not covered by President Roosevelt's embargo.—*United Press*.

WAGING WAR OF HORROR

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battle and is retiring towards Makale.

Ras Seyoum is co-operating with Ras Kassa whose troops have crossed the river Takna and are now concentrating near Giarisiga, according to news from a reliable source.

Takna lies west of Aksum, and therefore the presence of a large Ethiopian force threatens the Italian right flank in the event of a column attempting to push on to Makale.—*Reuter*.

AKSUM ENTERED

Rome, Oct. 15. The Italians entered Aksum at 7.15 a.m. to-day.—*Reuter*.

PREPARING ATTACK

Rome, Oct. 16. News has been received from Aksum that Ras Seyoum is preparing to attack the Italian right flank with several thousand men. His object is to retake the city of Aksum. Italian newspapers report.

Attempts of the Ethiopians to cross the Setit River are said to have been repulsed with heavy losses.

NARROW ESCAPE

It is learned here that Bruno Mussolini, son of Il Duce, had a narrow escape while flying over Makale. Four bullets hit his plane.

Bruno was uninjured and returned to the aerodrome behind the Italian lines safely.—*Reuter*.

ATTACK FAILS

Rome, Oct. 15. It is learned officially that Ethiopians on the north-eastern front attempted to break the Italian lines, and suffered grave losses, probably totalling several hundred dead.—*United Press*.

SHANGHAI MURDER

MONEYLENDER'S WIFE BRUTALLY KILLED

Shanghai, Oct. 15. Two persons were shot dead and four were wounded in a fight in which guns were freely used in the French Concession early this morning.

Five Chinese entered the home of an Indian money lender Gurubak Shingh, and ordered him to surrender the keys of his strong box.

Instead of complying the money lender dashed to the balcony shouting, "Robbers, robbers."

Losing their courage the intruders were rushing out of the room when Gurubak's wife bravely attempted to grapple with one of them, and was shot dead on the spot.

The police pursued the robbers through the streets and killed one with gun fire and arrested another.

Four pedestrians were struck by flying bullets.—*Reuter*.

ZESEN PROGRAMMES

This Evening's Broadcast From The German Short-Wavers

Special programme for Far Eastern listeners will be broadcast from Zesen as follows:

SOUTH ASIA ZONE

South Asia Zone, broadcast from DJB, (16.74 m. and DJB, (31.45 m. metres).

DJB 12.74 m. 15.250 kc. 14.00 p.m.

DJB 19.74 m. 15.250 kc. 4.45-8.15 a.m.

DJB 31.45 m. 9.210 kc. 4.45-8.15 p.m.

DJB 19.74 m. 15.200 kc. 19.50-21.30 a.m.

4.45 p.m. DJB Announcement (German, Engl.) German Folk Song, Gramophone Forecast (German, Engl.)

9.15-9.30 p.m. Vocal Items.

Clarice Mayno—Medley, Blue Moon.

You and the night and the Music.

9.30-10 p.m. From the Studio.

"A few remarks on Civil Engineering in Ecuador" by Mr. G. B. Gifford Hull.

10 p.m. Big Ben; Reuter Press Bulletin.

10.45-11 p.m. A Relay from Daventry.

The B.B.C. Dance Orchestra, directed by Henry Hall.

10.45-11 p.m. Vocal Gems.

The Chocolate Soldier (O. Strauss).

11 p.m. Close Down.

EAST ASIA ZONE

East Asia Zone broadcast through DJB on 15.250 m. (1.30 a.m. concert news at 2 p.m.)

9 p.m. Call DJB, DJB, DJB (German, Engl.) German Folk Song, Gramophone Forecast (German, Engl.)

9.15 p.m. News in English on DJB and in Dutch on DJB, DJB.

10 p.m. Selections from the Opera "Der Evangelist" by Kienzle.

11.15 p.m. News in German on DJB, DJB, DJB, DJB, DJB (German, Engl.)

11.30 p.m. Current Events.

11.45 p.m. Dance Music.

12.15 a.m. News in English on DJB and in Dutch on DJB, DJB (German, Engl.)

12.30 a.m. Close DJB, DJB (German, Engl.)

DAVENTRY PROGRAMMES

To-day's Broadcating From Four Transmissions

The following wave-lengths and frequencies are observed by Daventry.

Call Sign Frequency Wavelength

GSA 6.310 Kc. 49.25 m.

GSA 11.210 Kc. 31.45 m.

GSA 17.790 Kc. 22.53 m.

GSA 21.470 Kc. 22.21 m.

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SHANGHAI LAWN BOWLERS SUFFER SECOND DEFEAT

CRAIGENGOWER AND INDIAN R. C. WIN

VISITORS FAIL TO TOUCH TOP FORM AGAINST LOCAL RINK

COLONY PLAYERS BETTER QUARTETTE ON DAY'S PERFORMANCE

(By "Sagax")

With the majority of the players rarely reaching the same high standard of efficiency as has been shown by them at different periods during the present visit, the Shanghai lawn bowls interport players suffered their second defeat of the series yesterday when they encountered the combined Craigengower C.C. and Indian R.C. rink on the former's green. The local side secured a deserving victory by a margin of 20 shots to 11.

Unless the members of both rinks of a bowls match reproduce their best form the standard of the game must of necessity be below expectations and yesterday's contest came within the category of being but a mediocre match with the Hongkong players taking the principal honours on the majority of the heads.

It has been seldom that the Shanghai players have all struck bad patches but yesterday they were unable to show the same form which won for them the two interport contests and three other fixtures during the present visit. The game on the Craigengower green was but a little better than that on the Police Club green, as far as the visitors were concerned and there was never any doubt that the combined quartette drawn from the two local clubs, played a better and more consistent game.

Lopes led the Shanghai team but failed to strike his best form and although he was always the better of Khan, the Shanghai man was not the same accurate bowler of previous matches. Khan was the weak link in the Hongkong side and never gave the visitors anything over which to trouble as he rarely sent down a wood that justified himself.

DALLAH PROMINENT

Train was occasionally the brilliant player of previous matches but on the whole he was not bowling well enough to beat a more consistent opponent in Dallah. The latter is one of the Colony's most promising players and yesterday he further enhanced his reputation by an excellent display against the visitors. He was constantly drawing shots and sometimes sent down two perfect woods on the same head. He easily took the honours for the position, if not the match.

However, both Beer and Basu closely rivalled the accuracy of Dallah and it was due to these three players that the local side managed to inflict upon the visitors their second defeat of the visit. Beer was inclined to the short on several early heads but he was able to draw occasional shots to minimise his inaccuracies, while towards the end he showed improved form and gave Basu the necessary assistance to turn the game in favour of the local men.

Glover struck one of his bad patches and was rarely able to extricate himself from this rot. He was invariably short or narrow and when he was asked to be short to block the local men he would be heavy.

Basu had the better of Brerley and brought off some clever shots. He was drawing well and was greatly responsible for the defeat of the guests. Brerley was rather like Glover in that he also was inclined to be short.

The Shanghai players apparently were not able to judge the Craigengower "hill" and either made too much or too little allowance for the green in the green.

The scoring was very close until the last half dozen heads when the local players chalked up a total of eight shots on five heads.

Each side scored four shots on the first six heads while the scores were even again on eleventh at 8-8 and 10-10 was called after the fourteenth head.

Shanghai scored a single on the sixteenth head while Hongkong registered ten shots on six of the last seven heads.

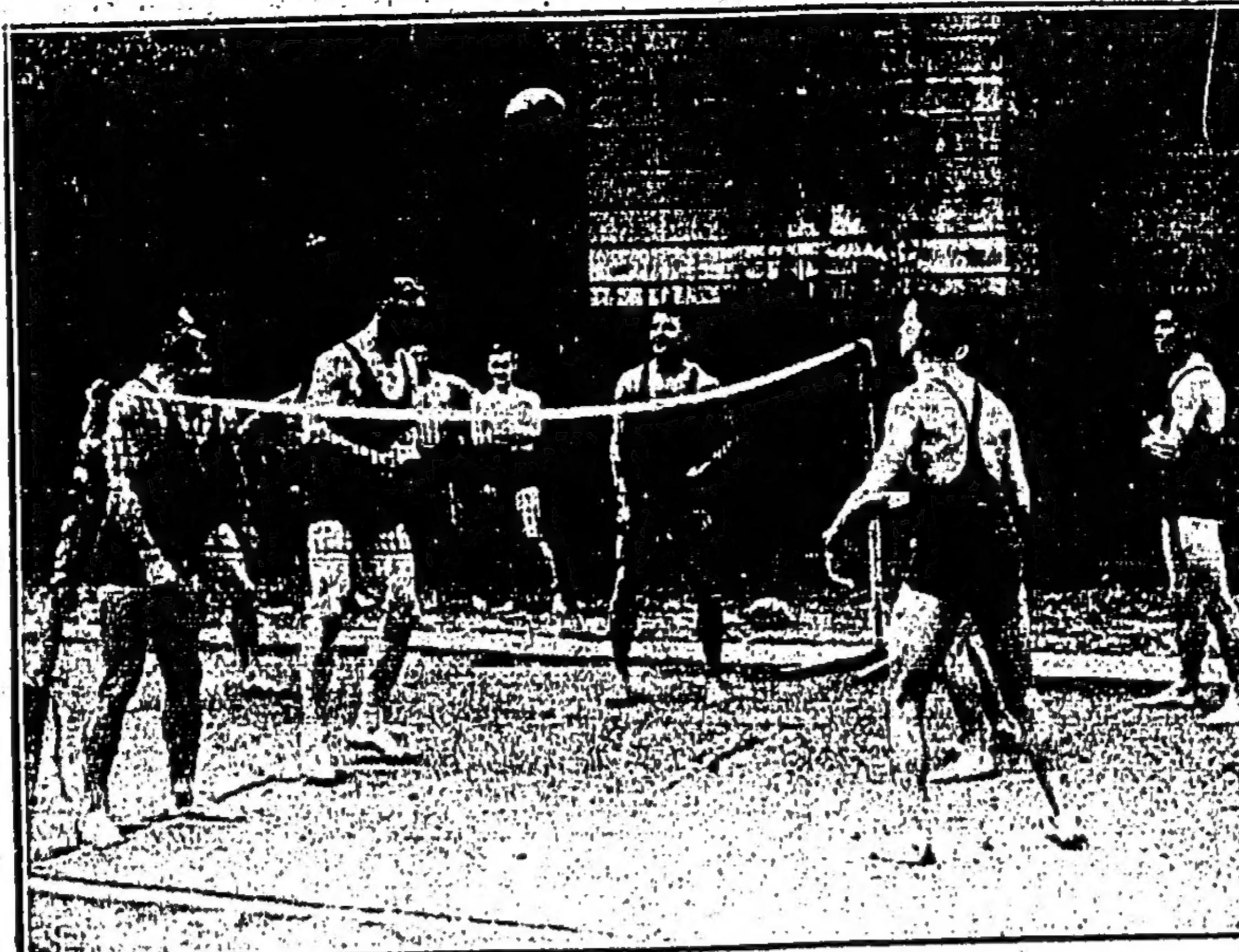
"There is nothing I would like better than a chance to attack some of the world's long-distance records," Whitlock stated.

"It is necessary to organise a special race, which would occupy

a track for eight hours.

The expense of hiring the track, the difficulty of securing enough judges and timekeepers to be on duty for that length of time, and the apparent impossibility of attracting large crowds and so making the event profitable, stand in the way.

"If an eight hours' race could be held at any time during the next month I am ready, and willing, to attack some of the records now held by Rasmussen, of Denmark.



HOW THE ARSENAL TRAIN. The colourful Arsenal team in the English soccer league are out to break an all-time record by winning the league title for the fourth consecutive year. The trick has never been done before. The above photo shows some of the team as they started training for the forthcoming season at Wembley sports arena. Ted Drake, Herbie Roberts (heading ball) and Eddie Hapgood are shown with some of their colleagues on the hand tennis court.

CESAREWITCH RACE TO-DAY AT NEWMARKET

REVISED LIST OF JOCKEYS

BURNS TO RIDE SCUSI

London, Oct. 15.

Jockeys have now been found for all candidates for the Cesarewitch, which is to be run at Newmarket to-morrow. One alteration has been made in the originally published list, A. Burns being given Scusi in the place of Evans.

The following is the revised list of horses and their jockeys:

Hoplite (Harry Wragge)
Quashed (J. Ellis)
Lucky Patch (Perryman)
Polly Stephens (Smirke)
Solitaire (Sam Wragge)
Shing Cloud (Weston)
Tommack (Gordon Richards)
Mossore (Gunn)
Doreen Jane (Dines)
Chrysler II (Beary)
Night Cap (Sibbritt)
Near Relation (E. Smith)
Hands Off (Humphrey Foster)
Penny-a-Liner (Clifford Richards)
Bunkawati (M. Hunter)
Woodstock (Sirett)
Knight of Monaster (Richardson)
New Era (Ryan)
Scusi (A. Burns)
Little Wyvis (Middleton)
Sir Calidor (Sharpe)
Samarckand (Lynch)
Greynam (D. Smith)
Court Equerry (Mitchell)
Violino (Wing)
Option Money (Sedgrove)
Vimy Ridge (Bertram). —Reuter.

LEN HARVEY'S COME-BACK

A BOXING COMEDY IN THE MAKING

London, Sept. 20.

Len Harvey knocked out Don McCorkindale in the fifth round of their "championship" fight at the Albert Hall last night.

For four and a half rounds Harvey, with a broken rib, had battled against the superior footwork and the heavier punch of McCorkindale.

The fifth round saw a change, rallying in response to magic signals from a woman sitting at the ringside, who, oblivious to the boos and cries of the fashionably-dressed crowd, never ceased to encourage him. Harvey was a new man.

A beautiful left hook to the jaw sent McCorkindale down for the count.

It's all right, everybody. It's only a film in the making. "Excuse My Glove," a boxing comedy.

The stalls around the ring in the glare of the film lights were filled with extras, thoroughly enjoying the thrill.

Streatham and Mitcham Rugby League club yesterday signed Tivose, the Wigan player, who can fill any position behind the scrum-mage.

Charlton Athletic are likely to have Tivose back on first team duty in the near future, as he has made an excellent recovery from a cartilage operation.

FINAL MATCH TO-DAY

J. C. BROWN IN LOCAL SIDE

Shanghai having already won the lawn bowls interport there will not be the same interest attached to to-day's match but the local side will be out to prevent a clean sweep as occurred last year.

There is to be a change in to-day's team to represent Hongkong. J. C. Brown will play No. 3 in the place of F. J. Jones who is indisposed. The Hongkong rink will therefore be J. V. Ramsay, B. W. Bradbury, J. C. Brown and U. M. Omar.

The match starts at 3 p.m. and will be played on the Kowloon B. G. C. green.

The Shanghai team will be C. W. Glover, C. Richards, W. H. Train and J. M. C. Lopez (skip).

A COMEDY OF ERRORS

ALL EXCEPT ONE DISQUALIFIED

BUT RACE VOID

London, Sept. 17.

The Novices' All-aged Hurdle race at the Shirley meeting, near Birmingham, yesterday was a comedy of errors.

Six horses set off gallantly for the winning-post two miles away, but with some distances still to go Mr. D. D. Stewart, the owner and rider of Biddy's Pet, decided that his mount had no chance of winning and pulled up.

He remained on the course, watching the other horses, and saw them, one after another, take the wrong course.

Instead of keeping to the track, they went on the wrong side of one of the flags.

DISQUALIFIED

Racing has one penalty only for horses that do this—disqualification, and as the five leaders had automatically put themselves out of the race, Mr. Stewart restarted his horse.

He had only to complete the course to be awarded the first prize.

Unfortunately for him he had taken so long that by the time he passed the winning post the judge, having placed the first three horses to pass, Len Gowl, Thoughtless II, and Beauvois du Diable, had left his box.

There was no one who had authority to make official note of Mr. Stewart's arrival.

Nothing was left but for Mr. Stewart to point out what had happened.

The stewards made inquiries, confirmed his report, and had no option but to disqualify the five horses, and as the sixth had not, officially, passed the post they declared the race void.

Two years ago there was a similar happening at Newbury. Here six of seven horses took the wrong turning, but Sir Peter Grant Lawson, riding at the tail end of the

WALKER CUP

POSSIBLE EXTENSION OF COMPETITION

A DAVIS CUP FOR GOLF?

An extension of international activity among amateur golfers, once a remote possibility, is fast becoming a probability.

The increasing popularity of the game in countries thousands of miles from its original home is breeding a desire on the part of those nations to transform the Walker Cup, at present competed for by Great Britain and America, into a golfing counterpart of the Davis Cup for lawn tennis.

Such a development is provided for in the conditions governing the Walker Cup match, which is due to be played in America next year. It is laid down that the Cup is not intended for competition solely between Britain and America, and that any other nation can submit a challenge, which might be accepted.

There is no obstacle, therefore, to a development similar to that which has characterised the Davis Cup, in 1900 a trophy which concerned only Britain and America, and in 1935 a prize in which about thirty countries were interested.

There is some likelihood of the expansion of the Walker Cup match being discussed by the Royal and Ancient Golf Club of St. Andrews, the governing body of the game, when plans for next year's contest are considered, and golfers are anticipating this change.

RULES MIGHT BE ADJUSTED

It is not expected that other countries will at present have any serious claims to success in such an international contest, but the recent visit to this country of a Canadian team has stimulated international rivalry.

Canada is anxious to have official matches, and both France and Japan would embrace this opportunity of developing their talent.

Spain is producing some excellent golfers; a British team has visited Australia and New Zealand; the successors of A. D. Locke, the phenomenal boy golfer, have created a greater interest in the game amongst the South Africans; and the Argentines are always keen.

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DANGEROUS TACKLE

There is one feature which seems to be creeping into the game and which ought to be eliminated because

INJURIES TO SOCCER PLAYERS

FORBID THE USE OF STUDS

A SUGGESTION BY AN ABERDONIAN

(By FRANK M. CARRUTHERS)

WALKING AT THE OLYMPICS

GERMAN RULES TO BE OBSERVED

DEFINITION OF WALKING

London, Sept. 24.

Lively exchanges on the subject of the 50 kilometres walking championship at the Olympic Games in Berlin next year featured the annual general meeting of the Board Walking Association, held in London on Saturday. While definite information is not yet available it appears that the German definition of walking, and not the R.W.A. definition, which is accepted as the international one, is to apply in the Olympic race, and that the majority of the judges will be Germans.

The General Committee of the R.W.A. is to draw the attention of the Amateur Athletic Association general committee to this assumed position with a view to having the necessary steps taken to enforcing the international definition and the appointment of judges by the usual means.

It was stated that a maximum number of three walkers could be selected to compete in the race, but it was pointed out that it was not certain that the maximum number would be sent.

After a lengthy debate on the means by which the likely men might be prepared for the Olympic Games, it was left to the General Committee to investigate the situation, and, if necessary, appoint a special sub-committee to deal with the preparations of the likely candidates. The meeting declined to appoint one definite race as the trial from which the selections would be made, but



"A tennis ball in contact with a racquet?" A remarkable high-speed photograph by Harold E. Edgerton and Kenneth J. Germeshausen and shown at the Royal Photographic Society's exhibition last month.

favoured the suggestion that a number of the outstanding men should be advised to train specially for the Olympic distance. Mr. Jack Camp, London Vidarians A.C., opposed the suggestion that there should be a series of races ranking as trials, on the grounds that by this means the men would be stale before the Games.

of its liability to hurt. In fact, I think it comes under the heading of "dangerous play."

This is what is called the sliding tackle. A player who is really out of reach of the ball throws both feet forward. In this action he has little control over himself, and he is just as likely to strike his opponent as the ball. I would not permit a tackle of this description.

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FAULTY TRAINING

The circumstances are so suspicious that there is the possibility that training methods, even if they have been practised for thirty years, are not always correct.

The fitness of the players, in order that teams may not be changed, is so important that closer and more scientific study ought to be devoted to this side of the game. It was unfortunate that more club trainers did not attend the lectures and demonstrations which were arranged by the Football Association during the summer.

I am afraid it was presumed that there was nothing new for them to learn. This was a mistake which I think will be corrected by club directors next year, when, I understand, the classes are to be continued in a provincial centre, probably in Leeds.

I shall be surprised if trainers are not then instructed to attend.

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SERIAL STORY

DONNA of the BIG TOP by BEULAH POYNIER

BEGIN HERE TO-DAY

DONNA GABRIEL and MADELINE SIDDAL, who call themselves the "Gabriel Sisters" are trapeze performers with Renfro's Circus. Donna's parents also circus performers. Five years earlier Madeleine, then a girl of 12, ran away from the middle-western farm home of her grandfather, AMOS SIDDAL, where she lives.

CON DAVID, the animal trainer, is in love with Donna who regards him merely as a friend. Madeleine is in love with Con.

When Madeleine's grandfather asks her to spend the weekend at his farm near Lebanon, where the circus is playing, she persuades Donna to take her place. Thus it appears that Donna is to be the other girl.

Donna (pretending to be the other girl) goes to dinner with Bill Siddal, Madeleine's cousin, and

goes to dinner with him.

CHAPTER III

In the moonlight the road was like a silver ribbon uncoiling with amazing rapidity. A heavy perfume drenched the night air; a perfume made of green things growing, of fruit orchards, wild flowers and the moist fragrance of newly turned earth. Though the Siddal farm was but five miles from Lebanon on the main road, Bill had chosen a longer, more circuitous route.

The car was a battered one, badly in need of paint, but Donna, her hat in her lap, rested her head against the faded felt upholstery and drank the night air with keen enjoyment. Her half-closed eyes saw everything; myriads of fireflies darting among the wild rose bushes, the streak of black as a cat dashed across their path, the farm houses set in the distance, the huge gnarled oaks and rows of sycamores.

They had spoken but few words since Bill had guided her away from the circus lot, already a lifeless city with its tents deflated and rolled into bundles. There was much the young man wanted to say but dared not voice. There was much Donna wanted to ask but she hesitated. When either of them did speak it was of something trivial.

"That's the Trager place," Bill said. "Do you remember the Tragers? Jim was at school with me. And a little later Donna murmured, 'I'm glad there's a late train Monday. One of the girls is going to ride in my place in the parade.' 'We might have asked your partner to come along,' Bill suggested. 'I didn't think of it. Did she think it was strange we didn't ask her?'

Donna felt a queer little stab in her heart. She almost did come, she said slowly, recalling the scene in the dressing room when Madeleine, with a sudden change of mind, had decided that Bill Siddal looked interesting enough to risk a visit home. But for Con David's jealousy Donna might have remained with the circus and Madeleine gone to the farm. However, Con had appeared and to pique Donna (at least he had hoped to do so) had invited Madeleine to have supper with him and Madeleine had accepted the invitation.

"Your grandfather may be in bed," Bill said as he turned the car into a road only a little wider than a cowpath. "If he is, we won't wake him. He's mighty feeble these days and needs all the sleep he can get. Your coming will be a red-letter day in his life. You don't know how much he cares about you."

Donna sensed the disapproval Bill had not actually expressed and she shivered slightly. Now that she had reached her destination she wondered if it would be possible to deceive a loving old man who remembered his grandchild's voice, the contour of her face. Had the loss of his eyesight made his other faculties keener? If he realized she was an impostor could she convince him the deception had been well intentioned? And what would Bill say?

She had a sudden impulse to tell him the truth then an impulse she crushed instantly for the headlights of the car brought into stark outline the narrow, dark, brick building which was the Siddal farmhouse. Light flowed from one of the lower windows and, as the car passed through the open gateway and moved up a driveway between rows of catalpa and sycamore trees, a man appeared in the doorway.

"There's Grandpop," said Bill. "I reckon the excitement of seeing you again kept him awake."

He called, "Hello there!" and the old man waved his hand.

Before the car came to a stop at the front porch Donna had an opportunity to look at her host. He was tall and very erect. His snow white hair curled slightly and touched the collar of the dressing gown that clung to his gaunt figure. The pathos of his eager, sightless face caught at the girl's heart and for an instant bitterness toward Madeleine's heartlessness banished Donna's fear of that ordeal before her.

"Did Madeleine come?" the old man asked as Bill sprang up the three steps to his side.

"Here she is!" Bill beckoned to Donna who was just behind him.

"Grandfather," she whispered huskily. "Grandfather."

Groaning gnarled hands reached for her; old arms enveloped her. "Maddie, my little Maddie." The girl pressed her face against his shoulder, hoping he would not notice how fast her heart was beating. "I've wanted you for such a long time and now I can't even see you."

"I know," she choked, tears in her throat. "Bill told me you are blind. Oh, I'm so sorry, so sorry!"

"That's all right, Maddie," he answered, patting her curly with trembling, affectionate fingers. "I'm old and affection doesn't matter so much to an old fellow. Only, I've missed you and wanted you. But there, there! We're not going to be sad for the little time you are here.

There must be a leap to be sad for the little time you are here. There must be a leap more I want to tell me and a leap more I want to



"You've changed," Mrs. Planter said to the girl. "I wouldn't have known you."

know. Come inside. Mrs. Planter laid out some supper for you."

In the light from the open window Donna saw Bill's face. His eyes met with her to say, "It isn't a short time, Grandfather, I'm going to stay with you always."

With all her soul she wished she could say those words, wished that she could give to the lonely old man the love and attention he needed. Her strong young arm guided him through the open door.

In books Donna had read of just such a room—quaint, homely in artistic, but containing something between the four walls that she had longed for all her life. There were rocking chairs with lace squares on their backs, a "whatnot" in the corner with china brie-a-brac on its shelves, a reading lamp beside a stand holding a huge family Bible.

On the big central table a vase of purple and white lilies stood and beneath a napkin the supper was laid out. Donna's glance rested upon an enlarged photograph on the wall, the picture of a small girl with long, fair, curling hair and wide, questioning eyes. Madeline, of course.

"It doesn't look much like you now," Bill said.

Bill's always been the salt of the earth," Bill answered coldly. "How you could have picked up and run away is more than I've ever been able to fathom. It puzzles me more since I've met you."

"The loneliness and the monotony," she stammered, trying to recall Madeleine's various excuses. "And with a faint smile, "my vanity."

"I suppose," he conceded, "it was too much to ask a girl as beautiful as you are to stay hidden here for the rest of her days, but I wish you could see your way clear to come back next winter. It would give Granddad new lease on life."

"I will come," she said, determined: Madeline should do her duty even if it broke up their act."

Bill looked at her and the steady gaze of his candid gray eyes said more than words. Then he left the room. Five minutes later when he returned she was sitting at the table but she had not touched the food. "I'll show you to your room," he said.

Over a bowl of chili con carne Madeline winked at Con David, with no thoughts for her partner nor her aged relative. Con's handsome face held no answering smile. Already he regretted the invitation prompted by his jealousy. Madeline might be as pretty and attractive as Donna but she bored him and he loved Donna. The country-youth who had taken Donna away might be her cousin, but if he wasn't in love with her Con knew little about love. And why hadn't Madeline gone with them?

"Snap out of it, Con," she said. "It's not very complimentary to have you sitting there so gloomy. You ought to know anyway that you don't stand too high with Donna."

"How do you know I don't?"

"She's told me. She wouldn't marry a performer no matter how much she loved him."

"She'll marry me."

Madeline laughed sharply. "Say you! No, she won't. She's crazy for a home and children. It wouldn't surprise me if she and Bill Siddal parted in a smile, though she extended her hand in cordial greeting, her pale eyes between white lids. It informed Donna she was not welcome.

Instantly the spell vanished. Donna felt the antagonism of the woman. Though Mrs. Planter's thin lips parted in a smile, though she extended her hand in cordial greeting, her pale eyes between white lids, it informed Donna she was not welcome.

Cousins can't marry. I reckon you find your grandpa changed a lot," she said. "He's been failing fast this past year. And you've changed too. Yes, you've changed. I wouldn't have known you now," Bill said.

"You said he was her cousin. Cousins can't marry."

Madeline's eyes half-closed. "Don't believe everything you're told, Con. I had to protect her. Didn't I?"

"I sprang to his feet. "Then she didn't go to her grandfather's?"

"Of course not." Sudden fear that she had implied too much made Madeline add, "For heaven's sake, don't spread it! You know Renfro and if he found out about it he might fire us both."

"Let's go," Con seized his hat and stalked to the desk to pay the bill. Madeline bit her lips in chagrin. It was well enough to argue that all was fair in love but if Donna learned she had said anything that would reflect on her reputation there would be trouble.

"Listen, Con!" she said tensely when they were on the street. "You misunderstood me. You've got to give me your word to keep this under your hat, but Donna isn't my sister and the man she went to visit is my grandfather, not her. She did go to the farm and . . ."

"She didn't give a hang what she did or where she went," the trainee answered morosely. "There's going to be a show-down Monday. She'll either marry me then or—"

"Or—?" breathlessly.

"I'll marry the first woman who'll have me."

(To Be Continued.)

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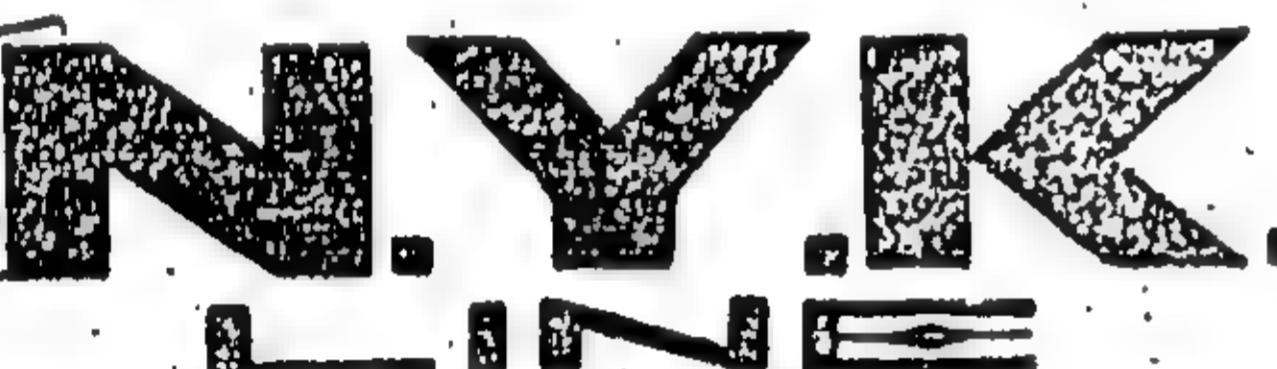
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Apologies for absence were received from Messrs. T. B. Wilson, D'Almada e Castro, D. W. Munton and Lt. Col. E. D. Matthews.

Letters regarding the H. K. Telephone Company, proposed Jubilee Park, Road Surfacing, Traffic Islands, North China Air Mail and Church Hall donation were read and approved.

Bus Services

A letter from a member of the Association was read regarding the erection of a shelter at the corner of Waterloo Road and Argyle Street for the benefit of people travelling to and from the Hospital. After considerable discussion it was decided that this matter be left in abeyance pending a satisfactory settlement of the question of bus fares in general. The Secretary was instructed to write again to the Bus Company pointing out that the Association were still awaiting a complete answer to their letter of April 13 on this question of fares.

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IN AID OF SCOUTS

CONCERT AT THE CHINA FLEET CLUB THEATRE

An enjoyable entertainment is promised this evening when the Scouts of the 4th Hongkong (Murray) and 4th Kowloon (Garrison) Troops present their second annual concert at the China Fleet Club Theatre, commencing at 8.45 p.m. sharp. As a specimen of variety the programme leaves little to be desired. Many popular local artists will figure on the programme while the Scouts themselves will be responsible for intermediate items.

Long experience has taught the organisers of Concerts that those run entirely by the Scouts are apt to become rather monotonous, and there is no doubt that the type of entertainment promised this evening is very near the ideal. By kind permission, the Band of the 2nd Battalion, the East Lancashire Regiment, under Bandmaster A. B. Yule, will be in attendance. The following local artists have promised their support: Mrs. Anderson-Miller, Mr. Li Chor-chi, Mr. P. H. Segon, the Quartette of the East Lancashire Regiment, and the pupils of the O'Keefe-Montgomery School of Dancing. An added attraction will be Miss Stella Best, a pupil in one of Mr. G. Goncharoff's pretty dances. Mrs. W. Sinclair will accompany. Other artists are Mr. Harvey-Ash, Mr. B. O. Kime, Mr. S. McNeill, Mr. W. Robertson and the Hawaiian Guitar Trio.

The proceeds of the Concert are to be devoted to the funds of the 4th Hongkong and 4th Kowloon Troops. Tickets at \$2 (reserved) and \$1 (unreserved) are obtainable from the Anderson Music Co. or at the door. Doors will be open at eight o'clock.

IMPRESSIONS OF JAPAN

PHOTOGRAPHIC EXHIBITION AT BRIDGES ST. Y.M.C.A.

Display of photographs of Japan is open to the public at the Chinese Y. M. C. A., Bridges Street, to-day and to-morrow from 2 p.m. to 9 p.m. each day.

These photographs are enlargements of snap-shots taken during the recent Cultural Inspection Tour of Japan organized by the Lingnan University of Canton by one of the members of the Party, Mr. Ho Tit-Wah, an enterprising young artist.

The Tour covered Osaka, Tokyo, Yokohama, Fujiyama, Kobe, and other less important towns, and during the trip Mr. Ho took no less than 500 snap-shots, of which he has placed some 250 enlargements on exhibit.

At the close of this exhibition Mr. Ho will leave for the North to stage similar exhibitions in other important centres.

All who are interested are cordially invited.

MR. PELHAM LEAVING HOME TO ENGLAND

It is announced that Mr. G. C. Polham, H. M. Trade Commissioner in Hongkong and Commercial Secretary to His Majesty's Embassy at Peiping (for South China) is proceeding to England on the s.s. "Cathay", sailing on October 2.

Mr. Pelham, who has served on the China coast for the last twelve years, first in the Consular Service and subsequently in the Commercial Diplomatic Service, has recently completed a continuous period of service of five years spent in Peiping, Shanghai and Hongkong. Mr. R. H. Scott will take over charge of the office of H. M. Trade Commissioner and Commercial Secretary. Mr. Scott was formerly Private Secretary to Sir Miles Lampson (now High Commissioner in Egypt) and has recently served in the office of H. M. Commercial Counsellor in Shanghai, and in the Consulate-General at Canton.

one or two representatives from the Association on their Committee. Messrs. F. C. Mow Fung and E. Kern were appointed, and these gentlemen will advise in what way the K.R.A. can be of assistance.

Miscellaneous

The Secretary reported having received no reply from the Headmaster of the Central British School on the question of stationery, and he was instructed to write again.

A letter of thanks was received from the Hon. Treasurer of St. Andrew's Church for a donation of \$40 towards the Church Fund, and the Rev. J. R. Higgs said that he would like to add his personal thanks for the assistance so willingly given.

NO COMPROMISE

HSIAO FU-CHEN'S LEAD TO CANTON

Canton, Oct. 15. Unless there is an eleventh-hour compromise on the South-west proposals, members of the Kuomintang Central Committee in Canton and Nanning will proceed with their impeachment of the Central Authorities for their many failings and for their refusal to include the four South-west proposals in the agenda for the Fifth Congress.

Nanking-Canton relations were discussed this morning following the routine meeting of the South-west Political Council. No concrete measures, it is understood, have yet been decided upon regarding the holding of the National Congress in Canton. There will be no difficulty in summoning the necessary delegates to this city.

The impeachment proceedings will be submitted to the Sixth Plenary Session of the Kuomintang on November 1. Strong opposition is voiced against an agenda of one year old, and, also, the Nanking delegates were elected two years ago, and some of them have accepted high official posts while waiting the Congress to assemble.

Leaders here insist that such a Congress will not help to solve the many difficulties confronting the country.—Special.

South boycotts Nanking

Canton, Oct. 15. Interviewed by the *Union News Service*, Mr. Hsiao Fu-chen stated to-day that members of the Kuomintang Central Executive Committee and Central Supervisory Committee will not go to Nanking to attend the Fifth National Congress, as their proposals have not been accepted.

Mr. Hsiao said that even if all their members here were to go to Nanking they would be ignored by the Central Authorities.

Overseas delegates and those from elsewhere are demanding that a Congress be held in Canton," Mr. Hsiao said. "A meeting will be held here after the delegates have arrived.

The Fifth Congress will be held here after the Congress in Nanking. The object is to see what the Nanking Congress will have done."

Mr. Hsiao added that Hu Han-min is in southern Germany. From his latest photograph, Mr. Hu has gained some weight and is in better health. Mr. Hsiao stated that Mr. Hu will not leave Germany in the immediate future.—*Union News*.

Entente with Japan Foreseen

According to the *Central Press*, Mr. Hsiao said:

The probable outcome, as I can see, of the coming Convention at Nanking will be the passing of the proposals for the abolition of the Kuomintang, and the forming of an economic entente with Japan. The future of China is dark and gloomy, only the Southwest could be China's hope. The Southwest leaders are not trying to create an "imperial in imperio", but are earnestly fighting for the salvation of China.

Council Meets

Canton, Oct. 15. The South-West Political Council meeting to-day discussed both the political and domestic, as well as the Swatow situations. The results of the meeting have not been divulged.

General Chen Chi-tang presided at the meeting, and Mr. Hsiao Fu-chen, who returned yesterday, attended.

The Kwangsi authorities telegraphed to Mr. Hsiao Fu-chen, welcoming his return to Canton to resume the direction of affairs of state and party, to which Mr. Hsiao Fu-chen replied urging the Kwangsi authorities to proceed with their usual revolutionary spirit.—*Reuter*.

CHINESE Y.M.C.A.

TWO ANNIVERSARIES TO BE CELEBRATED

The Chinese Y. M. C. A. will hold a dual celebration to commemorate the 50th Anniversary of the Y. M. C. A. movement in China, and its 25th Anniversary in Hongkong, at its headquarters in Bridges Street this evening, at 7.30 p.m.

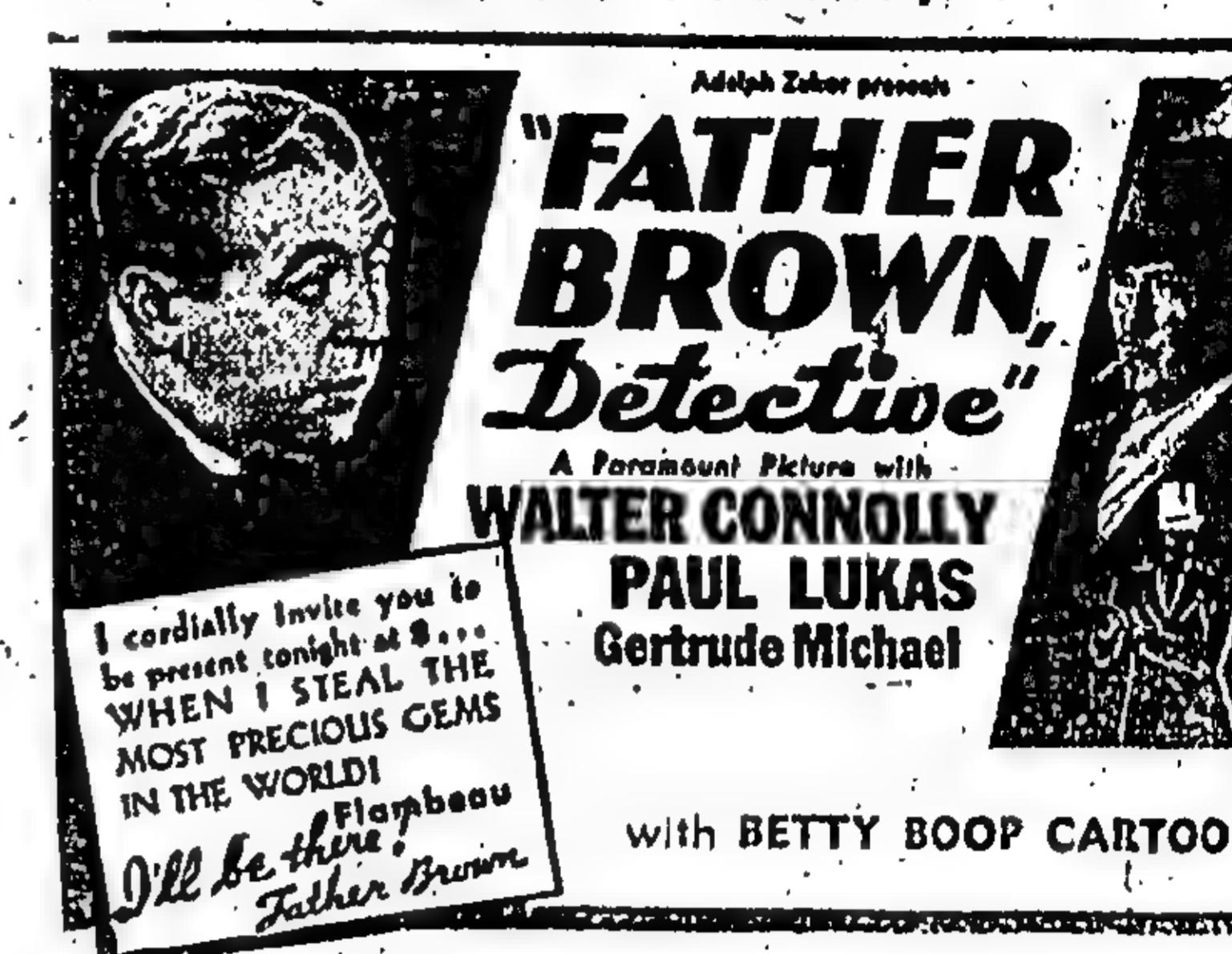
The Y. M. C. A. movement in China dates from the year 1895. The first Associations were established in schools in that year, one in Loo Ho College, Tungchow, and another in Anglo-Chinese College, Foochow. While the local Chinese Y. M. C. A. was established in 1901.

The programme for the evening has been arranged by members of the Junior Department of the Association.

Members are requested to present their membership cards to obtain tickets for admission.

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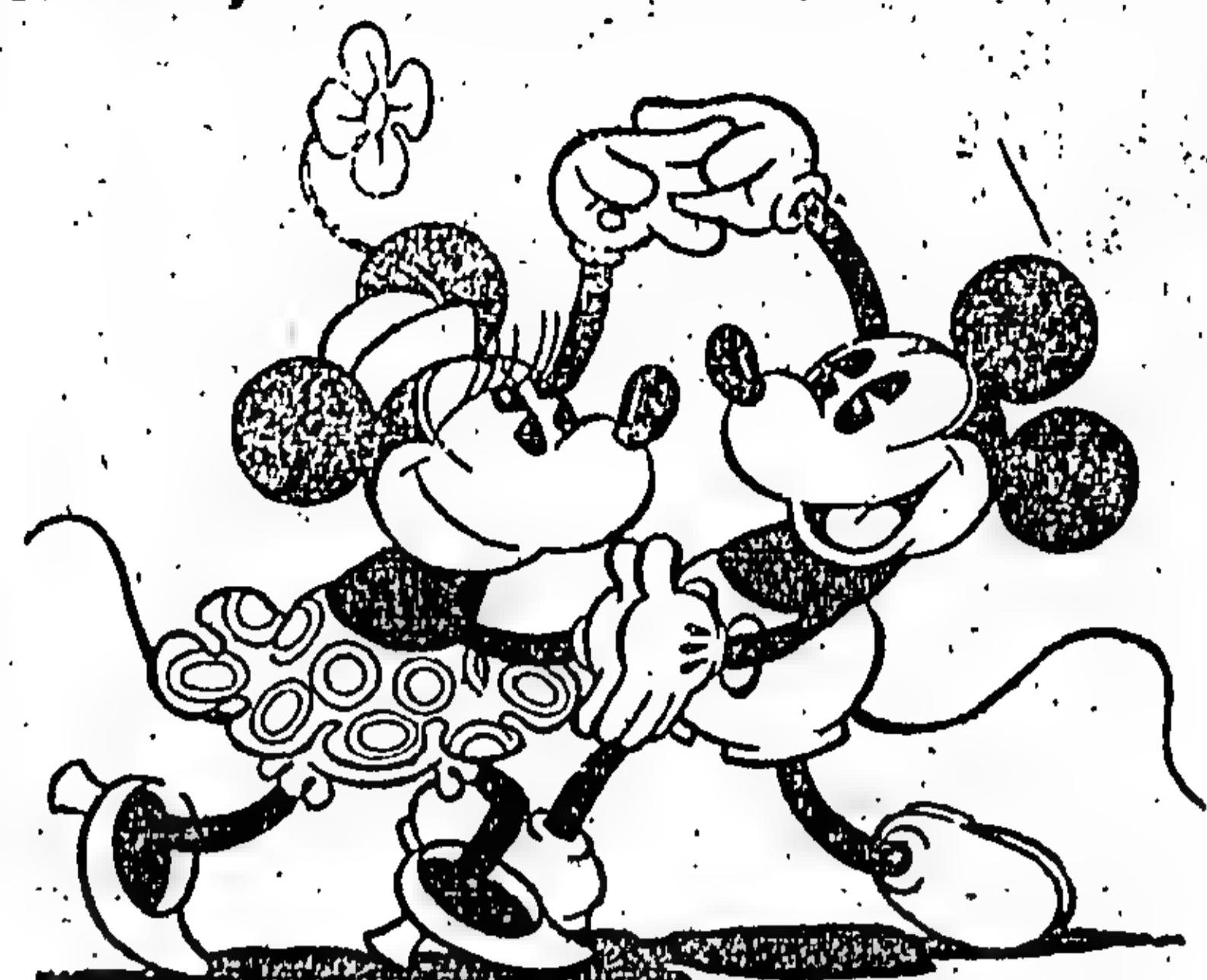
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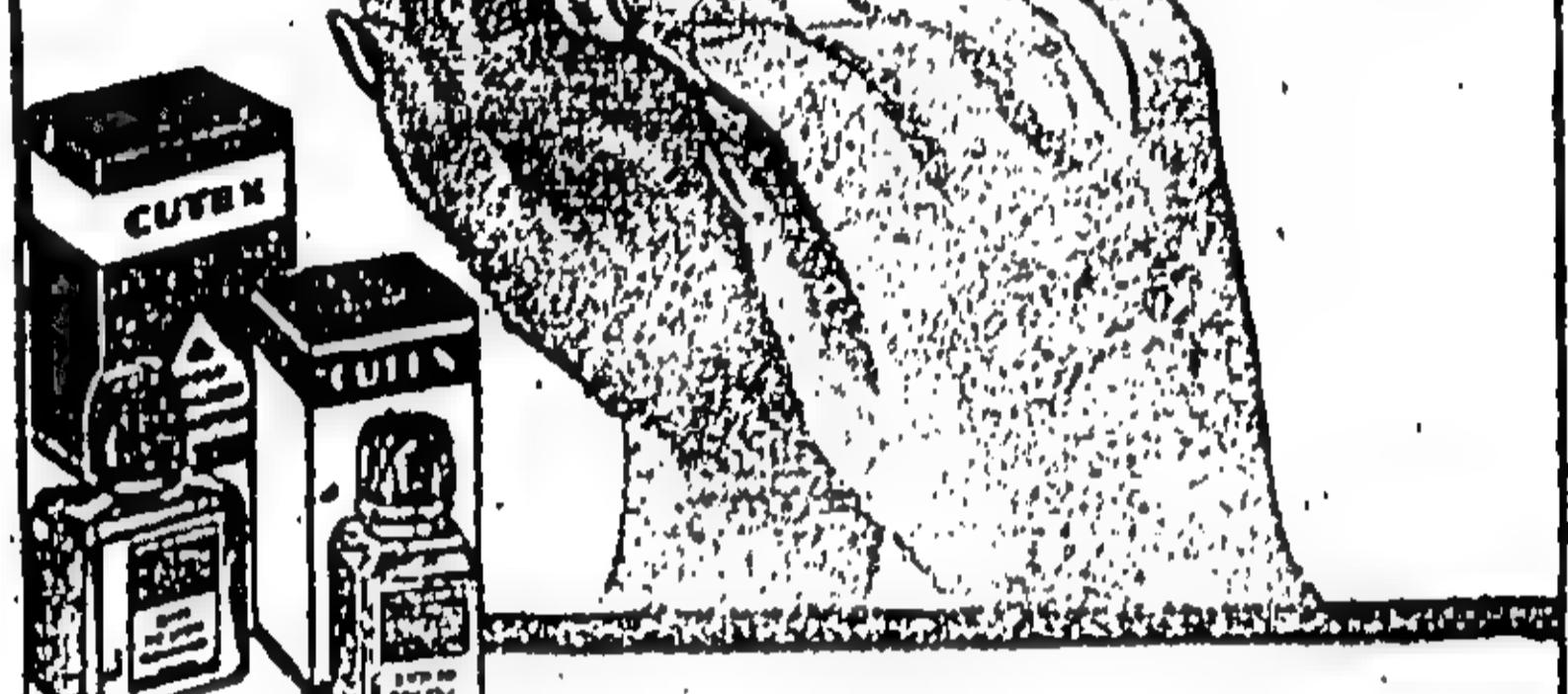
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London, Oct. 1.

FOLLOWING negotiations conducted with the utmost secrecy, Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer have acquired the film rights of nearly the whole of the most famous Italian operas.

This is the most sensational agreement in respect of film rights in the entire history of motion pictures. Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer have paid approximately £50,000 for the rights of these operas.

Meantime M.G.M. have announced the production of the "Tales of Hoffman" with a remarkable cast, including Grace Moore, Jeanette MacDonald, Marion Tally, and Nelson Eddy,

who will be remembered for his appearance opposite Jeanette MacDonald in "Naughty Marietta."

Film producers are satisfied that grand opera can be produced in film form, and that the public has been prepared for it by such pictures as "One Night of Love" and "On Wings of Song." Therefore leading producers have been seeking the film rights of nearly all operas in respect of which copyright still exists, and the money asked for the rights has doubled and trebled almost overnight.

One popular French opera was for sale recently at £2,000. Now the amount demanded is £7,000. In some cases the price set on film rights has soared as high as £20,000.

"I Pagliacci"

So far competition has been keggest in respect of "I Pagliacci," which is prized as one of the most valuable of operas in the eyes of film producers.

In this case London has been more enterprising than Hollywood, since the new British company, Capitol Films, has acquired the rights of "I Pagliacci," in which Richard Tauber is to be starred.

The price paid for these rights has not been disclosed, but it is believed to be approximately £18,000.

Artificial Lungs For 15 Days**AUSTRALIAN DOCTORS SAVE LIFE OF YOUNG GIRL**

After fifteen days in an artificial respirator a nine year old Melbourne girl, Ruby Currie, has been pronounced off the danger-list.

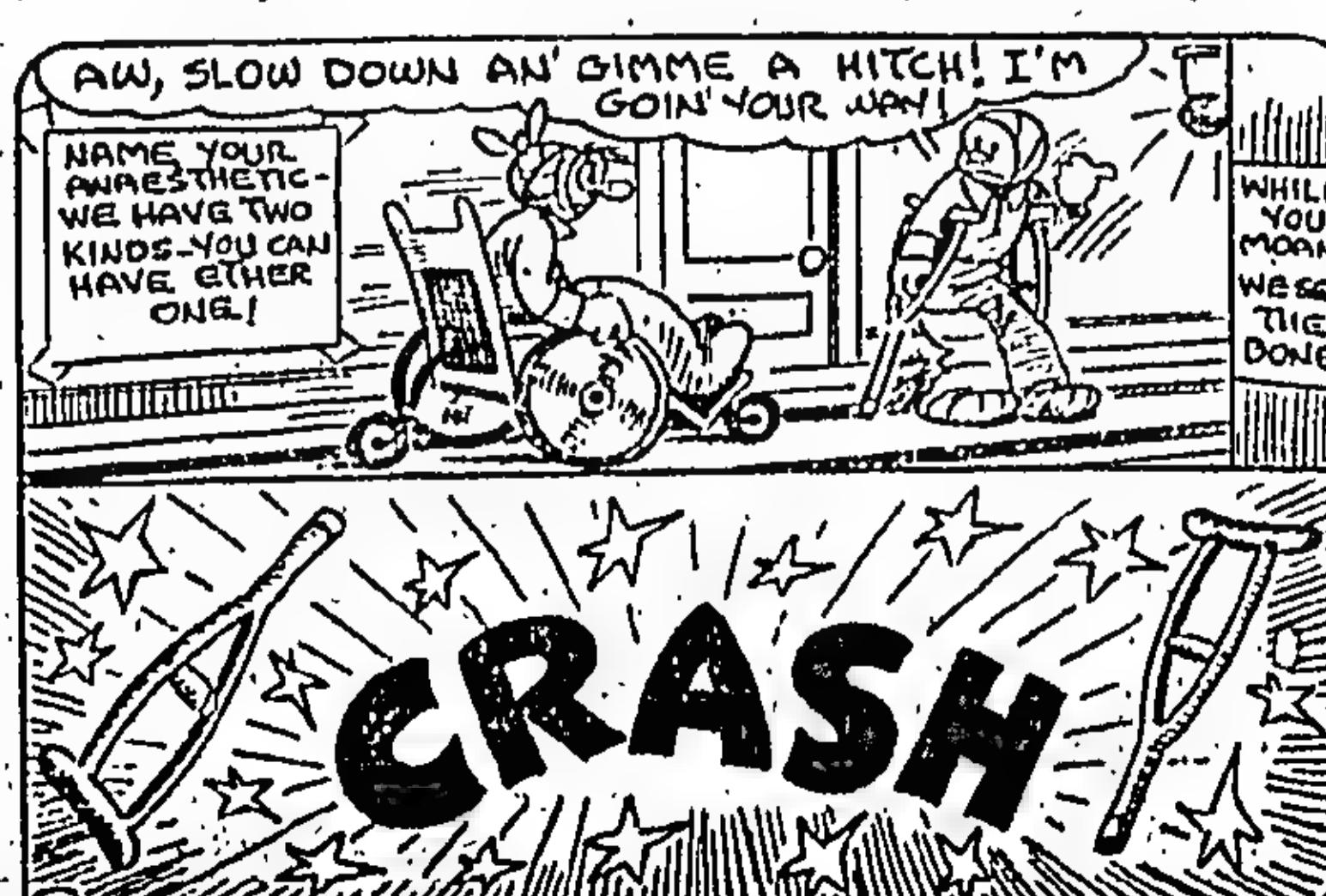
The patient was admitted to the hospital suffering from a rare complication of severe diphtheria.

On the eighth day she was removed for a short period from the respirator to promote the resumption of normal breathing. Thereafter, says *Austral News*, the length of these periods increased and pressure was relaxed as part of a gradual process designed to restore the lung action to normal.

From Adelaide comes the story of another interesting surgical feat. A woman has had all the sympathetic nerves removed from her heart and is in better health than for years past. The surgeon, who reached her heart by operating

from the neck, is the same one who removed a bullet from the heart of a man after the slug had passed through the liver.

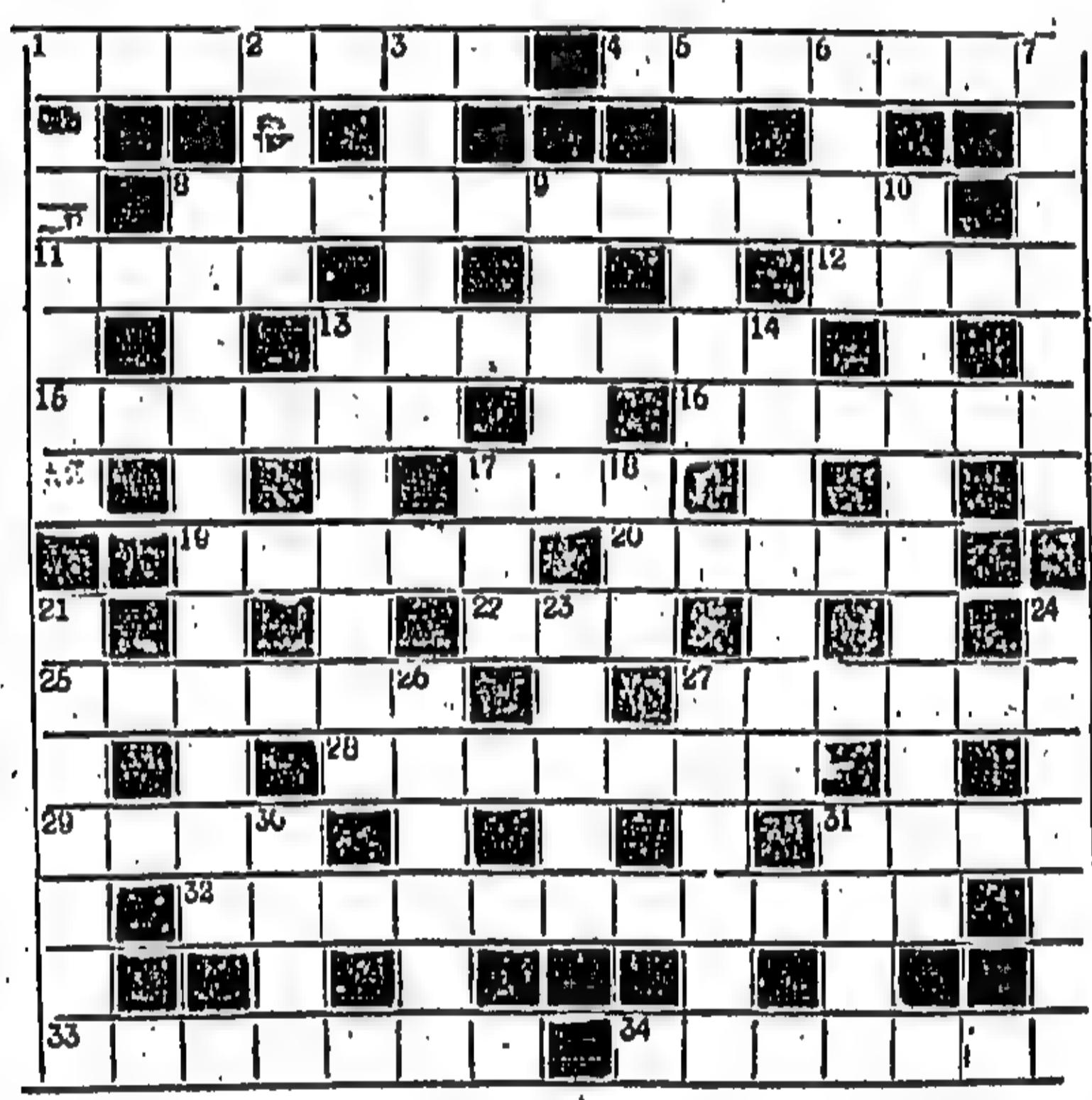
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- 1 Being almost perfect in in authority.
4 Bats are and may be palled.
8 Cf. rude music (anag.).
11 A bird that dives for a Scottish lad.
12 Carriage that might be mine.
13 Those who have a good pull show their craft.
15 Elbows.
16 Biblical character.
17 Hero the supply comes to a finish.
19 Not a bridle-path, as one might imagine.
20 Widespread dislike.
22 One likes one for one's money, whatever it's worth.
25 See a number in the act of holding.
27 Tentative affair, not always entomological.
28 Stood.
29 Standard, adaptable to early hours.
31 Exult—making plenty of noise.
33 Overthrow (this is given with all reserve).
34 Overdue, being slow en route.

DOWN

- 1 Scarcely fair to say. Planks down with an interjection, but the compact body is O.K.
2 Content for want of better.
3 Plant that does not desert the desert.
5 Lots out hot air. There's one in Paris.
6 Metrical expression in the tempo employed.
7 Lads can be the cause of it—

and so may lasses.
8 I-drown-sares (anag.).
9 A first-class card for a follower of Babes.
10 Their blessed rims are out of order, the hypocrites.
13 Plenty of time is certain at last.
14 Is clued as drenched with water.
17 Through, at the end of a meal.
18 Some distance, but not too far off to be seen.
21 A mosquito? Anyway, it disturbs resting.
23 Take by force.
24 Refractory, so a row may be expected.
26 Performs all right though stance is wrong.
27 Describes a thread.
31 This is the island he went with Ulysses.

Yesterday's Solution

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M O L T K E L R O T U N D
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In Praise of The Potato

"To establish the potato on a plane of high dietary dignity," Dr. H. K. Archbold has compiled a booklet which has been issued by the British Potato Marketing Board.

A number of people have lived on potatoes, supplemented only by a little fat and salt, he says, for periods up to 300 days. Recently one lived for four years on a diet consisting chiefly of potatoes and milk.

On the "fixed question of slimming," the booklet states, "there can be little doubt that, in spite of popular opinion to the contrary, the potato constitutes the ideal carbohydrate."

According to one authority, in fact, it "may well be retained in even a vigorous reducing diet" provided that such things as sweets and pastries and excessive bread were banished.

Experts Go To Russia For Art Treasures

APPEAL TO SOVIET

A SOVIET warship may take to England treasures for the International Exhibition of Chinese Art which opens at Burlington House on November 22.

Mr. George Eumorfopoulos, the expert and collector, who is a member of the Exhibition Selection Committee, and Mr. Leigh Ashton have gone to Russia to try to persuade the Soviet authorities to lend to the Exhibition art treasures in their possession.

An exhibition of Oriental art

has already opened in Leningrad to-day. It is understood that some of the objects shown there may

arrive in London later. Among the

many valuable Chinese pieces now

in Russia are superb examples of

early silk en work from Inner Mon-

golia and Chinese Turkestan.

In Steel-Lined Cases

Mr. Eumorfopoulos was one of three experts who spent the first six months of this year in China. They selected treasures from the Imperial Palace at Peking which were taken to England in H.M.S. Suffolk. Should the co-operation of the Russian authorities be secured, it will mean a notable addition to the value and interest of the exhibition.

The four Chinese experts who

arrived in Britain last month will

soon open the chests, and begin the delicate task of unpacking the treasures which they themselves

packed in Shanghai.

Drastic Packing Test

To ensure that their methods were sound, they first carefully wrapped and packed valuable porcelain, and then flung it on the ground 25 feet away. That it remained intact reassured them.

Although the main Peiping

collection, roughly valued at

over £10,000,000, is uninsured

—the British warship in which it travelled being a substitute

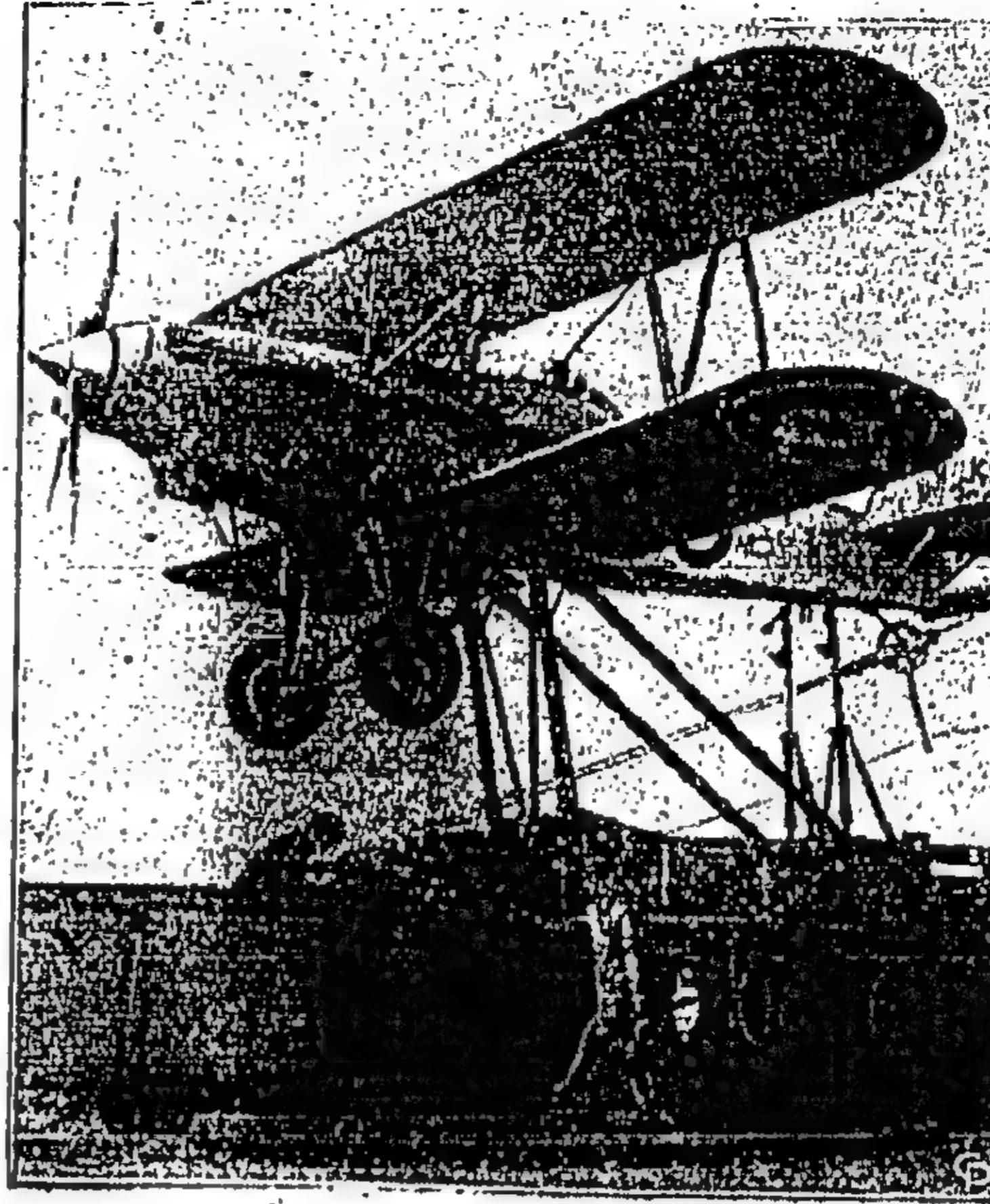
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exhibits are all heavily insured,

some of them, it is said, for

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TAKE-OFF
FROM
TRAIN

They can launch aeroplanes from almost any place now. The picture from Leuchars, Scotland shows a British pilot being instructed in catapult take-off from a railway truck. The instruction is being carried out at No. 1 flying school of the Royal Air Force.



New Flying Boats For Empire Air Routes

LUXURIOUS HOTELS WILL SPEED OVER THE WORLD

IMPERIAL AIRWAYS have placed an order with Messrs. Short Bros., Ltd., of Rochester, for a fleet of new flying boats for use on the main Empire air lines.

These new marine aircraft will be considerably larger, faster, and more luxurious than any aircraft at present in service on the air routes of Imperial Airways, and, in fact, they will be in advance of any similar craft in the world. The placing of this order represents an essential feature of the development scheme now in progress for the carriage of first-class mails in bulk to and from distant parts of the Empire.

An innovation in so far as Imperial Airways' marine aircraft are concerned is the fact that these aircraft will be of the unbraced high-wing monoplane type with wing-tip floats. All previous marine aircraft on the Empire routes have been of biplane construction. The span is 114ft. and the over-all length, 88½ft., the height on a benching chassis being 29½ feet.

These new air-liners will have a total loaded weight of approximately 17½ tons, of which between 3½ and 5 tons will be available for passengers, mail and freight for normal stage flights, but they can be given a range up to 1,500 miles by carrying more fuel and less load.

The aircraft will be propelled by four engines having variable pitch propellers, but the type of engine has not yet been finally decided. The speed of these flying-boats is expected to be not far short of 200 miles-an-hour and is, of course, dependent on the type of engine that is ultimately fitted.

The structure of the hull, the wing and the tail unit, is entirely of metal and a unique feature will be the two decks in the forepart of the aircraft. The upper one will accommodate crew, mail cargo and the ship's office, and the lower one is of the full cantilever type with a single spar of box-like construction, and although the structure is of metal the wing will be covered with fabric and will be fitted with flaps to give the requisite gliding angle.

The entire tail unit is also of the full cantilever type with single control facilities, constructed of metal but covered with fabric. The crew is accommodated in the control cabin on the upper deck in the nose of the short wave and direction finding equipment. The control cabin is completely enclosed, fitted with a sliding roof to permit a rear view, and the most up-to-date equipment for navigational purposes.

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	Oct. 14.	Oct. 15.
Paris	74.27/61	74.29/64
Geneva	15.06/1	15.06/1
Berlin	5.21/18	5.22/20
Athens	5.13/1	5.14/1
Milan	6.03/1	6.03/1
Shanghai	1.03/1	1.03/1
New York	4.90/1	4.90/11/64
Amsterdam	7.23/4	7.24
Vienna	26	26
Brugge	118.9/16	118.8/
Danzig	623	623
Madrid	35/3	35/3
Lisbon	110/3	110/3
Hongkong	2/0/13	2/0/16
Brussels	29.14	29.15
Monte Video	39	39
Belgrade	215	215
Montreal	4.97/1	4.97/1
Yokohama	1/2.1/32	1/2.1/32
Helsingfors	226/3	226/3
Rio	43	43
Buenos Aires	15	15
Silver (Spot)	29.5%	29.5%
Silver (Forward)	29.7/16	29.7/16
War Loan	103.11/16	103.11/16

—British Wireless.

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By order of the Board of Directors.

J. D. THOMSON,
Secretary.

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NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that on Thursday, the 24th October, 1935, a drawing for the redemption of thirty (30) Debentures will be held in the Pavilion at 5.30 p.m.

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A. K. MACKENZIE,
Hon. Secretary.
Hongkong, 14th October, 1935.

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AMERICAN BANKERS
SAFE

New York, Oct. 15. Fears for the safety of five American bankers, including the Vice-President of the National City Bank of New York, while hunting in the province of Eastern Sonora, Mexico, have been allayed.

The party was this morning reported to have been captured by bandits, but news has now been received that they are in the hills, and it is stated that no harm has befallen them.—Reuter Special.

Douglas, Ariz., Oct. 15. A party of American bankers, headed by Mr. J. H. Burrill, vice-President of the National City Bank of New York, who it was feared might run foul of the Mexican revolutionists, has been in touch with the leaders of the revolt. A "message" from the bankers' party states they were treated courteously and that they intend to continue their hunting expedition.—United Press.

SHARE PRICES

The following is the list of local share quotations issued this morning.

Banks.

H.K. Banks, \$1,020 b.
H. K. Banks, (Lon. Reg.) £105 1/2 n.
Chartered Bank, £13 1/4 n.
Mercantile Bank, A. and B. £28 1/2 n.
Mercantile Bank C., £12 1/4 n.
East Asia Bank, \$60 b.

Insurances.

Canton Ins., \$180 b.
Union Ins., \$377 1/2 n.
China Underwriters, \$1.10 n.
China Fire, \$382 n.
H.K. Fire Ins., \$180 a.
Internat'l Asse., Sh. \$4 n.

Shipping.

Douglas, \$80 n.
H.K. Steamboats, \$4 n.
Indo-China, (Pref.), £30 n.
Indo-China, (Def.), £12 n.
Shell (Bearer), 73 1/4 n.
Union Waterboats, \$114 n.

Mining.

Antamoks, 70 cts. n.
Balatocs, \$14 n.
Baguio Gold, 22 cts. n.
Benguet Consolidated, \$10.60 n.
Benguet Exp., 13 cts. n.
Benguet, Goldfield, —
Big Wedge, 8 cts. n.
Gold Creek, 30 cts. n.
Gold River, 5 1/2 cts. n.
Ipo Mining, 90 cts. n.
Itogona, 36 1/2 cts. n.
Kallacot, 15 cts. n.
Kallan, 10/6 n.
Langkata (Single), \$13 n.
Shai Explorations, Sh. \$4 1/2 n.
Shai Loans, Sh. \$6 1/2 n.
Raubs, \$6.65 n.
Venz: Goldfield \$2.30 n.

Commercial and Industrial

Allied Iron Founders, 38/3 38/—
Associated Elec. Industries, 25/3 34/9
Austin Motors ord. sh. 46/— 44/6
Boots 5/- sh. 47/6 47/6

Docks etc.

H.K. Wharves (old), \$72 n.
H.K. Wharves (new), \$70 n.

H.K. Docks, \$9 n.

Providents (old), 45 cts. b.

Providents (new), 20 cts. n.

Hongkong (old), Sh. \$237 1/2 n.

New Engineering, Sh. \$4 n.

Shanghai Docks, Sh. \$80 n.

Cotton Mills.

Two Cottons, Sh. \$5.60 b.

Shai Cottons (old), Sh. \$65 n.

Shai Cottons (new), Sh. \$40 n.

Zoong Sing, \$8 1/2 n.

Wing On Textiles, Sh. \$25 n.

Lands, Hotels, etc.

H. and S. Hotels, \$3.15 b.

H.K. Lands, 4% Deben.

\$100 n.

Shai Lands, Sh. \$13.90 n.

Metropolitan Lands, Sh. \$10 n.

Humphreys, \$7 1/2 n.

HK. Realities, \$4 n.

Chinese Estates, \$86 n.

China Realities, Sh. \$4 n.

China Debentures Sh. \$35 n.

Public Utilities.

Burns Corp. Rs. 11/10 1/2 11/10 1/2

Commonwealth 10/6 10/6

Randontien Estates 50/9 50/3

Sparwater Gold 7/— 6/9

Mining 40/— 40/—

Spring Min. 245/— 246/3

Sub-Nig. 105/— 105/—

Rhokana Corp. 105/— 105/—

Oils.

Anglo-Persian 62/6/ 61/10 1/2

Burn Oil 74/4/2 73/9

Shell Trans. and Trud. (Bearer) 16/3 16/3

Chosen Corp. 24/7 23/6

Maraman Investments, Ltd. 24/7 23/6

Industrials.

H.K. Tramways, \$16.75 b.

Peak Trams, (old), \$5 1/2 n.

Peak Trams, (new), \$4 1/2 n.

Star Ferries, \$78 s.

Yau Ma Tei Ferries, (old) \$17 n.

China Lights, \$8.00 n.

H.K. Electric, \$53 1/4 n.

Macao Electric, \$20 n.

Sandakan Lights, \$3 s.

Telephone (old), \$17.40 b.

Telephone (new), \$6 1/2 s.

China Buses, Sh. \$11 1/2 n.

Singapore Tractions, 13/— n.

Singapore Pref. 25/— n.

Stores, &c.

Dairy Farm, \$14.60 s.

Watson, \$2.90 b.

Lane Crawfords, \$2.75 s.

Mackintosh, \$7 n.

Sincere, \$2.80 n.

Wm. Powells, 70 cts. n.

Wing On (H.K.), \$55 n.

Miscellaneous.

MOB ATTACK ON INDIANS

COURT REPRIMANDS COMPLAINANT

EUROPEAN GIVES EVIDENCE

As the result of evidence volunteered by a European witness at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning, Mr. E. I. Wynne-Jones discharged an Indian gunner who was charged with assault, and bound the complainant, Lau Kam, foki, over in the sum of \$50 to keep the peace for 12 months.

The defendant, Sohan Singh, aged 40, a gunner of No. 1 Battery, Hongkong-Singapore R.A., stationed at Whitfield Barracks, Kowloon, was charged with having assaulted the complainant at Wing Sing Lane near Nathan Road last Sunday.

Inspector Shannon appeared for the prosecution and stated that a European gentleman had witnessed the incident and had volunteered to give evidence.

Mr. James Young, installation engineer of the China Light and Power Company, stated in evidence that between 9 p.m. and 9.30 p.m. on Sunday last, he was at his flat at No. 474 Nathan Road, first floor, when he heard a commotion in the street. Witness went out on the verandah and saw two Indians dressed in civilian clothing walking along the opposite side of the street, followed by a crowd of about fifty Chinese, who were throwing things at them and running up and knocking off their turbans. One of the Indians turned several times and raced at the Chinese, but did not strike any of them, and the crowd gradually surrounded him.

Witness noticed a Chinese man, who appeared to be the prime mover, charge the Indian from the back, and it was then that the Indian drew his cane and struck the Chinese over the head and shoulders.

KNOCKED DOWN

When the crowd saw this, they immediately set upon the Indian and knocked him down, and he was kicked by at least one dozen of the men. The other Indian had gone.

The Indian managed to get up but was kicked all the time. He went towards Public Square Street, still followed by the crowd, and his turban was knocked off. Police whistles were blown and two Chinese policemen appeared, and the Indian was led back through the crowd to Wing Sing Lane where the injured man was.

Questioned, witness stated that he did not know what the trouble was about.

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Addressing complainant his Worship said:—You richly deserved what you got. I am going to bind you over in the sum of \$50 to keep the peace for one year. Don't you dare come before me with a story like this again.

To defendant, His Worship said:—You are discharged. I am sorry you were given this trouble.

CHINESE Y.M.C.A.

TWO ANNIVERSARIES TO BE CELEBRATED

The Chinese Y. M. C. A. will hold a dual celebration to commemorate the 50th Anniversary of the Y. M. C. A. movement in China, and its 35th Anniversary in Hongkong, at its headquarters in Bridges Street this evening, at 7.30 p.m.

The Y. M. C. A. movement in China dates from the year 1835. The first Associations were established in schools in that year, in Loo Ho College, Tungchow, and another in Anglo-Chinese College, Foochow. While the local Chinese Y. M. C. A. was established in 1901.

The programme for the evening has been arranged by members of the Junior Department of the Association.

Members are requested to present their membership cards to obtain tickets for admission.

Charged before Mr. Macfadyen at the Central Magistracy this morning with the theft of a handbag containing a handkerchief, a silver ring and a metal wrist watch, the property of a 21-year-old widow named Chan Pui-ling, at Calno Road, near Arbutnott Road, yesterday, Lau Lin, aged 25, pleaded guilty and was sentenced to six months' hard labour. Sub-Inspector J. Walsh stated that complainant was walking in Calno Road at 10 o'clock last night when defendant snatched her bag and made off. Complainant raised the alarm, whereupon defendant changed his flight and dropped the bag near her as he ran past. He was arrested by a constable who came in answer to complainant's shouts.

WAGING WAR OF HORROR

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Observers doubt whether Britain will accede to such a plan.—United Press.

NO PEACE PROPOSALS

Rome, Oct. 15. It is officially stated that no peace proposals were made by either side, during conversations between M. Pierre Laval, the French Prime Minister yesterday, and Signor Cerutti, the Italian Ambassador at Paris, according to an official spokesman.

Reuter was informed by this spokesman that "we do not consider this to be a time to discuss a settlement, while sanctions are being considered at Geneva and the atmosphere is one of intimidation against Italy."

"We consider the friendly attitude of the people of the occupied territory in Ethiopia" to be complete justification of our policy. We are just going to go ahead."—Reuter.

REPORT INCORRECT

Rome, Oct. 15. A spokesman has assured interviewers that the report of negotiations between Signor Cerutti and M. Pierre Laval in Paris, allegedly for the purpose of discovering a formula for peace, are without any foundation" whatever.—United Press.

BUYING MUNITIONS

Paris, Oct. 16. It is understood that M. Haury has negotiated a contract for the immediate delivery of Belgian arms to Ethiopia.—United Press.

RECORD CLAIMED

Alameda, Cal., Oct. 15. A new record is claimed for a Naval seaplane which alighted after flying from Colon with a crew of six, having covered 3,300 miles in 34 hours 51 minutes.—Reuter.

TRADE MARKS DISPUTE

APPEAL HEARD BY FULL COURT

LEGAL ARGUMENT

An appeal against the decision of Mr. Q. A. A. Macfadyen, the magistrate, in dismissing the summons brought by the United States Drug Store against the Sino-German Dispensary, for alleged infringement of a trade mark, was made before the Chief Justice, Sir Atholl MacGregor, and the Puisne Judge, Mr. Justice R. E. Lindsell, in the Full Court this morning.

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TRADE MARKS COMPARED

The appellants were the registered proprietors of the trade mark which consisted of three Chinese characters, "Sin Kai Sin." There was also, as part of the mark, the English word "Senkesin." That mark was registered under Clause 3 for medicine. It was, in fact, used in connection with packets of pills which were of considerable value, as they restored vigour and youth. Not only was this mark used, but it was used only on this type of medical goods. The respondents, not only in respect of medical goods but in respect of this very class of articles, had used three Chinese characters, "Sin Kai Ling," the first two of which were identical with those of the complainant's mark. The respondents also used the English word "Sen-

kin."

Continuing, Mr. Potter contended that, rightly or wrongly, there was an obvious infringement of his client's mark, as two-thirds of the characters were used by the respondents. It was an obvious infringement and as such came within the scope of the Merchandise Marks Ordinance.

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The Magistrate had throughout been led astray by the suggestion that the appearance of the two respective packets was entirely different and therefore no infringement was made. The Magistrate had misdirected himself in that he compared the "get-up" of the two packets and held that they were dissimilar in appearance.

Mr. Potter contended that the comparing of the "get-up" of these two packets was wrong, as the question only involved the "word mark" and had nothing to do with appearance.

SIX POINTS

The appellants' six points for argument were:

(1) The object of the Ordinance is to protect owners of trade

MR. PELHAM LEAVING TRADE COMMISSIONER GOING HOME TO ENGLAND

It is announced that Mr. G. C. Pelham, H. M. Trade Commissioner in Hongkong and Commercial Secretary to His Majesty's Embassy at Peking (for South China) is proceeding to England on the a.s. Cathay, sailing on November 2.

Mr. Pelham, who has served on the China coast for the last twelve years, first in the Consular Service and subsequently in the Commercial Diplomatic Service, has recently completed a continuous period of service of five years spent in Peking, Shanghai and Hongkong.

Mr. R. H. Scott will take over

charge of the office of H. M. Trade

Commissioner and Commercial

Secretary.

Mr. Scott was formerly

Private Secretary to Sir Miles

Lampson (now High Commissioner

in Egypt) and has recently served

in the office of H. M. Commercial

Counsellor in Shanghai, and in the

Consulate-General at Canton.

CINEMA NEWS NOTES FROM THE THEATRES

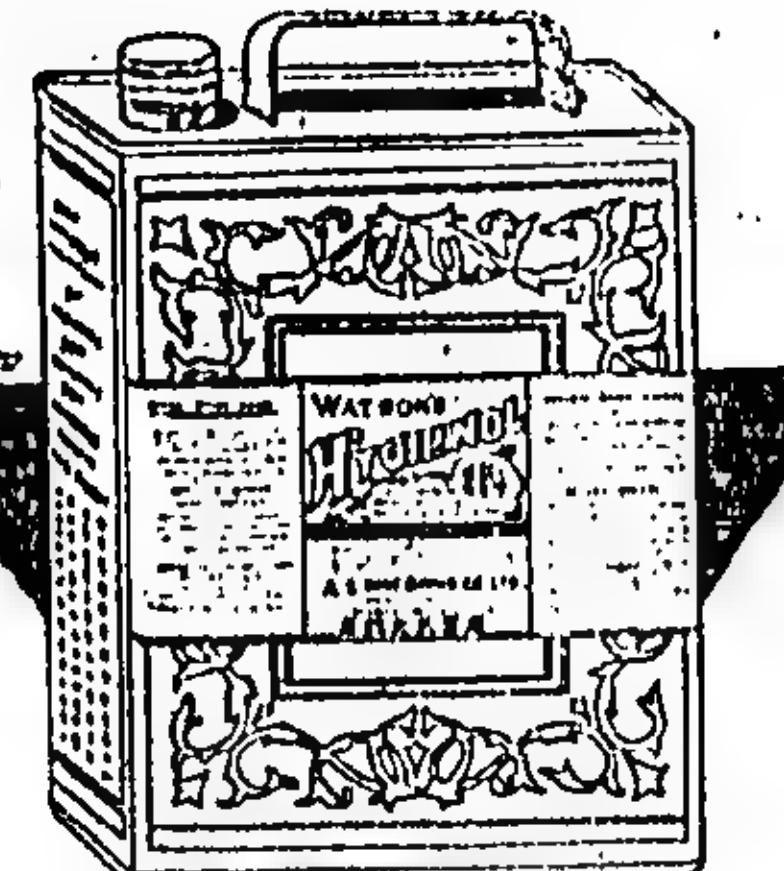
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and the books of Gilbert K. Chesterton assumes real flesh and blood and comes to life on the screen in Paramount's feature "Father Brown, Detective," now at the Alabama.

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The story of "Father Brown, Detective," is built about the Flying Star diamond in Father Brown's possession and the efforts of Flambeau, notorious jewel thief to get them. Although Father Brown has the thief well within his grasp several times, he refuses to apprehend him and turn him over to the police until he has recanted of his own free will. The fight for the diamond thus resolves itself into a battle of wit and will, with a beautiful girl who loves Flambeau taking a hand in the fight. At last Flambeau, convinced of the error of his ways, gives himself up freely to the police, hoping to recant his crimes and earn the respect of the girl he loves. And Father Brown plays double roles of sleuth and cupid. Paul Lukas and Gertude Michael are cast in the principal supporting roles and Robert Lorraine, Una O'Connor and Hallie Hobbes

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NOTES OF THE DAY

TOO SOON TO CROW

Mr. Bennett, the Prime Minister of Canada (but not for very much longer) was a little previous when he told electors in the West that the Liberal Party of the Dominion had no more chance of winning the federal election than — he might have mentioned the proverbial snowball—the Social Credit Party. Mr. Bennett, of course, was very sure his own Government would be returned. But the fickle electorate which gave him a substantial majority in 1930 turned to an earlier love, and has embraced once more the axioms of Liberalism, and, incidentally, Mr. William Lyon Mackenzie King, descendant of the great statesman for whom he was named. Moreover, the Social Credit Party, that despised Albertan group which won the Provincial election a few weeks ago with a programme admittedly experimental in the economic sense, is leading the polls in the federal ridings there; and is making a serious bid for support in the neighbouring province of Saskatchewan. We are not well acquainted with Mr. Mackenzie King's platform in this campaign. We know that Mr. Bennett advocated a measure of controlled inflation, and actually has carried out this principle in national finance during the past two years. It is probable that the Liberals will not radically depart from this policy. Mr. Bennett was about to complete a trade arrangement with the United States. It is likely that Mr. King will complete it, for that is some of his own sauce which the Conservatives stirred into their pudding. Free trade, or something like it, has been the Liberal catch-cry for generations. But as far as basic national policies are concerned we do not expect to see any revolutionary changes with the advent of a Liberal Government. Mr. Mackenzie King is cautious, if nothing else. He is coming back to power with the turn of the tide in world economics. He ought to enjoy a satisfactory tenure of office.

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BRITISH TRADE TRENDS

One of the most striking features of British commercial expansion, shown by study of statistics over a period of the past quarter of a century, is that the country's export trade has fallen off in importance when compared with its internal trade. It has been estimated that in 1907, over thirty per cent. of the national production was exported; in 1924-25 the proportion was about one-quarter; in 1930-31 it was approximately one-fifth; while in 1934 the proportion was down to about one-sixth. These figures make it clear that, for some time prior to the depression, Britain has had to adjust her industrial organisation to a gradual decline in the proportion of home production sold externally—an influence which has been apparent in the difficulties, during most of the post-war period, encountered in many of the exporting industries of the country. The sharp reduction in the volume of shipments in recent years has, however, greatly accentuated these difficulties. The figures now disclosed serve to illustrate the great extent to which the recent recovery has been due to an expansion in production for the home market, and it is felt that, in the absence of any material increase in external trade, further revival will depend on the country's ability to extend this development in the future. It is not to be inferred that British overseas trade has not expanded recently; it has, and is now showing a steady improvement from the low level reached during the depression. Moreover, in certain directions abroad there are indications that the need for a relaxation of excessive barriers to international trade is being more fully realised in authoritative quarters. But after giving due weight to these influences, there would appear, according to a British banking authority, little hope of a return in the near future to anything approaching the position prevailing even in 1929. Further progress can no doubt be achieved through a continuance of the policy of bilateral trading agreements between the United Kingdom and other countries, which has produced such beneficial results, while it may prove possible to expand the area of free trade by the conclusion of regional agreements between groups of nations. Nevertheless, it would appear, in the view of the authority quoted, that for some time Britain will have to rely on the home market in a much larger degree than in comparatively recent years for the deployment of its population.

TOWARDS INFLATION

One thing and another leads us to believe that the United States may be nearer to inflation on a grand scale than ever before. For some time past experts have been predicting it, and various groups, the Veterans' Bonus folk, the Frasier-Lemke bill supporters, the western Silverites, and the out-and-out inflation cranks, are pushing towards that goal. Senator Thomas, that industrious worker for higher silver prices, believing that remonetisation of silver will immediately solve all the nation's financial ills, is bringing pressure to bear upon the influential Western Silver Bloc of Senators, declaring that unless they support his remonetisation plan he will abandon all interest in the silver programme. Senator Thomas is aiming at \$1.29 per ounce for silver, and while there are few who believe that that level will be reached, at least in the next few years, it is not impossible that he will achieve his goal. Meanwhile, the Western Silver Bloc is meeting in Salt Lake City, with Senator Key Pittman in the chair, and sensational developments may come from that gathering. From this we gather that the next session of Congress may see the sparks fly when Democratic Silverites attempt to force their theories down the throats of the Administration, possibly backed by a stout contingent from the opposite party.

NEEDED—A MIRACLE

There is no excuse for optimism in the announcement that Japan has agreed to attend a naval conference in London before the end of the year. Any hope that a re-suscitation of old agreements was possible must be abandoned in view of the Japanese statement that, though they were willing to attend a conference, their attitude upon the principle of equality of naval armaments remained unchanged. Japan's contention, briefly, is that no nation should possess a navy of a size and strength which will constitute a menace to another power, or which can be classed as a powerful "aggressive" force. Japan's idea is all for defensive strength. That sounds like a reasonable argument until one reaches the second point: equality. Granted that defensive strength is necessary, how can a navy adequate for the defence of Japan be adequate for the defence of the British possessions? The suggestion is ridiculous. But it is upon this basis of argument, apparently, that the Japanese representatives will go to London. In view of the American attitude, which is simply that Japanese equality can never be accepted by America, we fear that only a miracle can bring any benefit out of the proposed London naval conference.

An Old Hand Looks At The Colony



West Point, by day, dirty and squalid, by night a myriad of twinkling city lights, each with its own story of drama to tell, could we but hear.

WRITING an article on Hongkong is one of the easiest things in the world, but finding something new to say of this well-covered subject is almost as difficult as finding beauty in its streets, or virtue on its famous Peak.

Without being clever—a fatal happy wretch can find his feet— it is hard for an old hand to be enthusiastic over the Island of Fragrant Streams when there is a water shortage several months of the year and what among the chief pastimes of our water there is, is impregnated with typhoid.

Say for his first entrance into the harbour he cannot, either, see eye to eye with the banal ravings of the tourist for, though the situation is pleasing to the eye and the Island looks pretty enough at night, the climate, smells and dirt are

IT is only fair to add that sport is enjoyed here, the native population being its chief exponents and adherents. The

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LIST

Geneva, Oct. 15. Link by link, the sanctions chain is being inexorably woven at League of Nations' committees' sessions. The Economic sub-Committee to-day gave first reading to a list of materials necessary for the conduct of a war on the basis of which, after further consideration, the anti-Italian embargo will be recommended.

The list is not yet published, but is believed to include rubber, glycerine, iron ore, pig iron, lead, copper, zinc, manganese, tungsten, and nitric acid.

The aim of the committee is first to attack the products which are supplied to Italy entirely or mainly by the states participating in sanctions. The question of certain other manufactured or semi-manufactured goods is being referred to military experts.

It is understood that the military experts committee has agreed to augment President Roosevelt's list of arms on which an embargo will be recommended, to include all apparatus used in chemical or incendiary warfare. It has been decided that all gases used for war purposes will be included in the prohibited list.—*Reuter*.

LIST COMPILED

Geneva, Oct. 15. The list of commodities necessary to enable Italy to continue hostilities has been compiled by the Economic sub-Committee of the League, and restrictive action is now under consideration.

The articles on which an embargo is proposed fall into two groups: those like petrol, coal and cotton largely drawn from member states; and those like manganese and iron, some minerals and rarer metals like tungsten and wolfram, the source of which is practically entirely in the hands of League members.

No action is likely to be taken to restrict Italy's supplies of the first category until non-members of the League can be consulted, but recommendations for immediate action are expected with respect to the second group of commodities.

The Economic Committee will discuss the question of the anti-Italian boycott of exports to-morrow.—*Reuter*.

BUSY DAY

London, Oct. 15. Committees and sub-committees have been busy all day at Geneva preparing proposals for submission to the Committee of the League which is co-ordinating the measures to be put into operation by League members in fulfilment of their obligations arising out of the Italian resort to war in disregard of the Covenant and who wish a restoration of peace by an agreed settlement.

At a meeting of the sub-committee for mutual assistance, the Chairman said there was no idea that certain countries should receive compensation for sacrifices they might have to make, or that others should give such compensation. "We are all called to make sacrifices with a view to the restoration of peace. Peace is well worth sacrifices. It demands less sacrifice than war, but in conformity with Paragraph 3 of Article XVI we must reach an agreement to minimise the loss and inconvenience resulting from the application of sanctions."

The Committee is examining the possibility of opening new markets in favour of countries suffering loss of export through the trade embargo against Italy. The Economic Sub-committee has been considering the imposition of an embargo on exports to Italy of key products, and also the refusal by League Powers to receive exports from Italy.

According to press telegrams a list of key products is being drawn up and includes materials necessary for the manufacture of munitions of war. There is a general expectation in Geneva that the work of the various sub-committees will be sufficiently advanced to be brought before meeting of the full Co-ordinating Committee, which consists of one representative of each State member, on Saturday. The position of countries which have declared themselves unable fully to discharge their obligations in collaboration with their fellow League members is also being considered. One suggestion, according to press messages, is that exports of key products to these countries might be restricted to their own actual needs, so as to leave no

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London, Oct. 15. The Foreign Secretary, Sir Samuel Hoare, broadcast an address this afternoon to the Fifth Annual Women's Conference on current problems which is meeting in New York. He said he hoped his speech in the League Assembly on September 11 had established beyond doubt that the British people were solidly behind the Covenant in a determination to resist all acts of unprovoked aggression and to substitute peaceful methods of settlement for war.

He had tried to look beyond the immediate political difficulties to the causes of bitterness and strife, and had selected for special attention among the causes to be removed the question of the control and distribution of colonial raw materials. He had suggested it would be well to anticipate a controversy by examining this question without unnecessary delay.

Sir Samuel Hoare then commented to his hearers the recent publication of the Economic Section of the League Secretariat called, "Remarks on the present phase of international economic relations", describing it as a sermon on the folly of our times. He cited the statement, "the malady from which the world is now suffering is no longer entirely a crisis but rather an inability of countries to co-ordinate their several efforts to emerge from the crisis" and himself continued, "I fully agree. It seems to me that the lowering of barriers to international trade, slow and difficult as the task must inevitably be, is one of the most fundamental of the tasks of the present time. It is a task that must be persistently and courageously pursued, not only by ministers of commerce who desire to promote the economic welfare of the world, but also more by all those who wish to promote international friendship and serve the great cause of peace."

SAME IDEALS

The Foreign Secretary referred appreciatively to the constant advocacy of these ideals by the American Secretary of State, Mr. Cordell Hull, and the sympathetic remarks in the same sense made by the French Minister of Commerce, M. Bonnet, in the League Assembly. He recalled that when the Assembly adopted a resolution recommending freer trade between nations, Mr. Hull had sent a message cordially supporting the League's endeavours.

It was a source of great encouragement that the Governments of the three great trading nations were looking in the same direction, but the road ahead would not be easy. "It is never easy to take the long view as against the short and remember the ultimate good of all rather than the immediate advantages of each."

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FAIR WEATHER

A moderate anticyclone covers the Pacific to the east of Japan and a weak anticyclone is centred over the Yangtze Valley. Shallow depressions are situated over the northern part of the Yellow Sea, and to the south-east of Kagoshima. Local forecast:—N.E. winds, light to moderate; fair.

room for exports to Italy.—*British Wireless*.

CABINET APPROVES

Brussels, Oct. 16. The Cabinet to-day approved the attitude of the Belgian delegates at Geneva in supporting the sanctions against Italy.—*Reuter*.

RUBBER
POSITION
SOUNDPITFALLS TO BE
AVOIDEDREDUCED
STOCKS

London, Oct. 15. The rubber position appears to be stronger. It is generally held that since the stocks held by manufacturers in countries suffering acute exchange difficulties have been reduced to a bare minimum, according to the chairman of Harrison-Crossfield, speaking at the annual meeting of that concern to-day.

He added that a further reduction of stocks was assured with the absorption continuing at the present rate.

The suggestion that the selling crop controlled by all companies domiciled in the United Kingdom should be concentrated in one hand appeared liable to cause a serious dislocation in the flow of trade and would soon destroy the organisation upon which they were able to rely at present to maintain London as the world's principal free market.

Referring to tea, the chairman said the potential producing capacity was well ahead of current world consumption and it was essential to the interests of all concerned that the International agreement be continued.—*Reuter*.

NORTH-WEST
FRONTIERMOHAMAD HEADMAN
SUBMITS

The Upper Mohmand headman submitted to the Governor of the North-West frontier at a *jirga* held at Wuchaiwar, following the recent incident in which a number of British casualties were suffered. Replying to a request for peace, the Governor explained that the Government policy and demands in a speech delivered in Pushtu, illustrated by local proverbs.

Bankers realise that the financial sanctions against Italy will result in an economic autarchy and keep the whole world in the economic doldrums for a period which it is impossible to estimate. —*United Press*.

DAY BY DAY NEWS IN BRIEF

THOSE IGNORANT OF ANY SUBJECT ARE OFTEN THE READIEST TO THEORISE ABOUT IT, BECAUSE LEAST HAMPERED BY EXACT KNOWLEDGE.

Practically.

Mr. de Costa, of the Star Ferry Company, Kowloon, reports to the police that some person travelling on the ferry last night threw three life-buoys overboard. The total value of the lost property is \$21.

The annual prize-giving of the Central British School will take place on Thursday, October 24, at 11.45 a.m. in St. Andrew's Church Hall, when Lady MacGregor has kindly consented to give away the prizes.

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The P. and O. liner *Chital* is due here from Shanghai at 6 p.m. on Friday.

A dinner dance will be held at Repulse Bay Hotel this evening. The last bus leaves Repulse Bay at 2 a.m.

The Royal Engineers' usual fortnightly whist drive and tombola will be held at Wellington Barracks on Monday, October 21, at 8.30 p.m.

A rent collector named Hu Chik-yuen reports to the police that while collecting rent a forged Chartered Bank ten-dollar note was passed off on him.

Mr. A. S. Hassan, 202 Wan Chai Road, reports to the police that his brother Omar, 24, has been missing from the address given since 6 p.m. on October 15.

Miss Cramer, No. 1, Chatham Path, was summoned before Mr. Macfadyen this morning, at the Central Police Court, for allowing her dog out without a muzzle or leash. Miss Cramer told the Magistrate that the dog must have run out without anyone seeing it, as she always puts its muzzle on. The dog had been inoculated. Defendant was fined \$6. Sgt. Stuart prosecuted. Appearing before Mr. Macfadyen on a similar charge, Mrs. Franklin, 37, Robinson Road, was also fined \$5. Sgt. White prosecuted.

Failing to appear before Mr. Wynne-Jones at the Kowloon Magistrate this morning to answer a charge of keeping a common gambling house at No. 37 Haiphong Road, ground floor, Wo Lam, 43, coolie, forfeited his bail of \$50. Thirteen other coolies were arrested for gambling on the premises; three of whom failed to appear in Court and their bail of \$3 each was estreated. The other gamblers pleaded guilty and were each fined \$2. The sum of \$8.30 picked up in the Poor Box. Detective Sub-Inspector L. Whant prosecuted.

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SHANGHAI LAWN BOWLERS SUFFER SECOND DEFEAT

CRAIGENGOWER AND INDIAN R. C. WIN

VISITORS FAIL TO TOUCH TOP FORM AGAINST LOCAL RINK

COLONY PLAYERS BETTER QUARTETTE ON DAY'S PERFORMANCE

(By "Sagax")

With the majority of the players rarely reaching the same high standard of efficiency as has been shown by them at different periods during the present visit, the Shanghai lawn bowls interport players suffered their second defeat of the series yesterday when they encountered the combined Craigengower C.C. and Indian R.C. rink on the former's green. The local side secured a deserving victory by a margin of 20 shots to 11.

BRITAIN'S GREAT WALKER

H. H. WHITLOCK OUT FOR RECORDS

CANNOT GET CHANCE

H. H. Whitlock, Great Britain's long-distance walker, and the only man who has walked from London to Brighton in under eight hours, wants to beat records, but cannot get the chance. He recently won the London-Brighton race in 7 hr. 53 min. 50

Unless the members of both rinks of a bowls match reproduce their best form the standard of the game must be below expectations and yesterday's contest came within the category of being but a mediocre match with the Hongkong players taking the principal honours on the majority of the heads.

It has been seldom that the Shanghai players have all struck bad patches but yesterday they were unable to show the same form which won for them the two Interport contests and three other fixtures during the present visit. The game on the Craigengower green was but a little better than that on the Police Club green, as far as the visitors were concerned and there was never any doubt that the combined quartette drawn from the two local clubs, played a better and more consistent game.

Lopes led the Shanghai team but failed to strike his best form and although he was always the better of Khan, the Shanghai man was not the same accurate bowler of previous matches. Khan was the weak link in the Hongkong side and never gave the visitors anything over which to trouble, as he rarely sent down a wood that justified himself.

DALLAH PROMINENT

Train was occasionally the brilliant player of previous matches but on the whole he was not bowling well enough to beat a more consistent opponent in Dallah. The latter is one of the Colony's most promising players and yesterday he further enhanced his reputation by an excellent display against the visitors. He was constantly drawing shots and sometimes sent down two perfect woods on the same head. He easily took the honours for the position, if not the match.

However, both Beer and Basa closely rivalled the accuracy of Dallah and it was due to these three players that the local side managed to inflict upon the visitors their second defeat of the visit. Beer was inclined to the short on several early heads but he was able to draw occasional shots to minimise his inaccuracies, while towards the end he showed improved form and gave Basa the necessary assistance to turn the game in favour of the local men.

Glover struck one of his bad patches and was rarely able to extricate himself from the rot. He was invariably short or narrow and when he was asked to be short to block the local men he would be heavy.

Basa had the better of Brerley and brought off some clever shots. He was drawing well and was greatly responsible for the defeat of the guests. Brerley was rather like Glover in that he also was inclined to be short.

The Shanghai players apparently were not able to judge the Craigengower "hill" and either made too much or too little allowance for the gradient in the green.

The scoring was very close until the last half dozen heads when the local players chalked up a total of eight shots on five heads.

Each side scored four shots on the first six heads while the scores were even again on eleventh at 8-8 and then 10-10 was called after the fourteenth head.

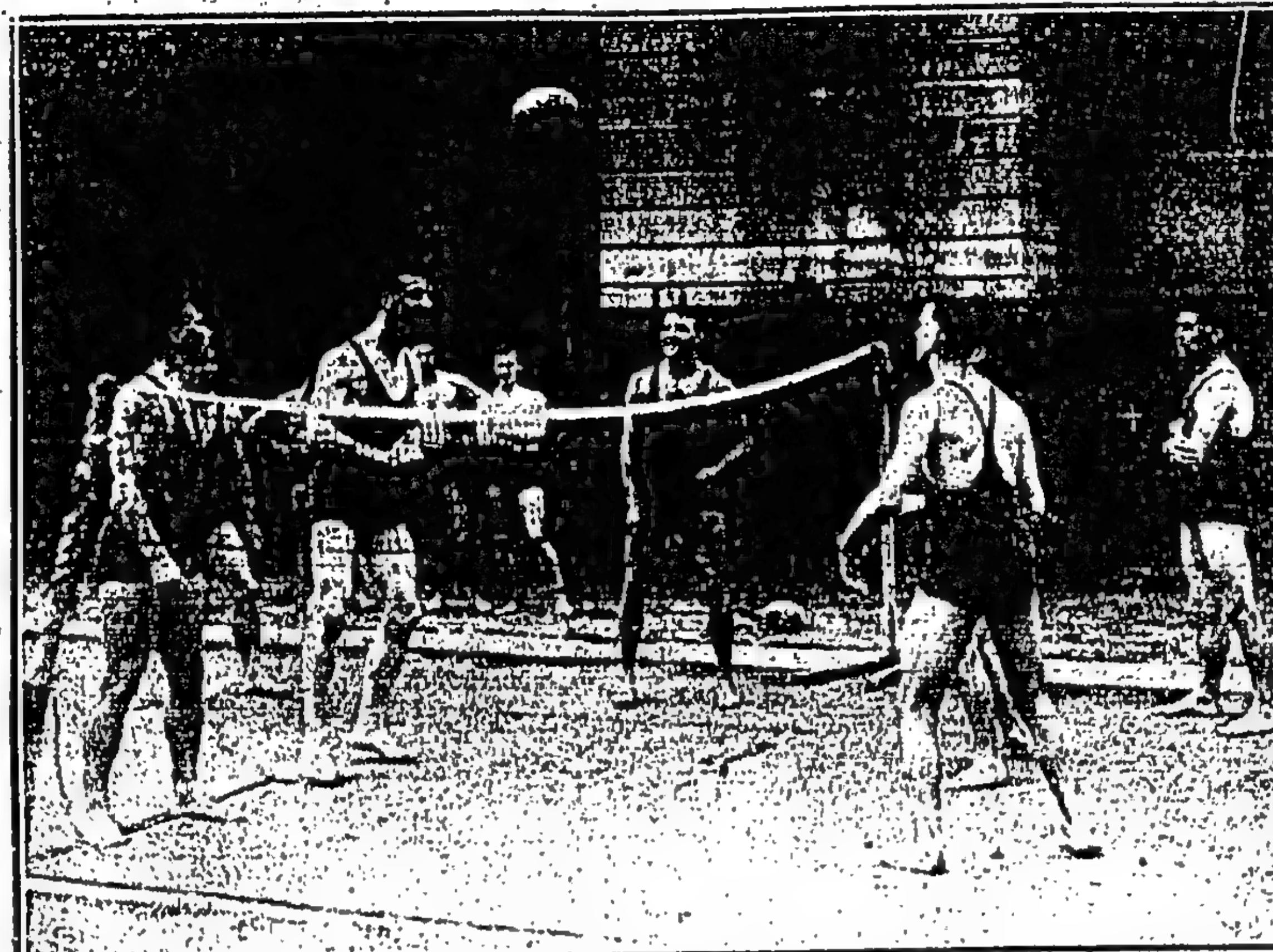
Shanghai scored a single on the sixteenth head while Hongkong registered ten shots on six of the last seven heads.

"There is nothing I would like better than a chance to attack some of the world's long-distance records," Whitlock stated.

"It is necessary to organise a special race, which would occupy a track for eight hours. The expense of hiring the track, the difficulty of securing enough judges and timekeepers to be on duty for that length of time, and the apparent impossibility of attracting large crowds and so making the event profitable, stand in the way."

"If an eight hours' race could be held at any time during the next month I am ready, and willing, to attack some of the records now held by Rasmussen, of Denmark,

and Dalinsch, the Latvian, but I am afraid the opportunity will not come this year."



HOW THE ARSENAL TRAIN. The colourful Arsenal team in the English soccer league are out to break an all-time record by winning the league title for the fourth consecutive year. The trick has never been done before. The above photo shows some of the team as they started training for the forthcoming season at Wembley sports arena. Ted Drake, Herbie Roberts (heading ball) and Eddie Haggard are shown with some of their colleagues on the hand tennis court.

CESAREWITCH RACE TO-DAY AT NEWMARKET

REVISED LIST OF JOCKEYS

BURNS TO RIDE SCUSI

London, Oct. 15. Jockeys have now been found for all candidates for the Cesarewitch, which is to be run at Newmarket to-morrow. One alteration has been made in the originally published list, A. Burns has been given Scusi in the place of Evans.

The following is the revised list of horses and their jockeys:

Hoplite (Harry Wragge); Quashed (J. Ellis); Lucky Patch (Perryman); Polly Stephens (Smirk); Solitaire (Sam Wragge); Shining Cloud (Weston); Tommack (Gordon Richards); Mossoire (Gunn); Doreen Jane (Dines); Chrysler II (Berry); Night Cap (Sibbitt); Near-Relation (E. Smith); Hands Off (Humphrey Foster); Penny-a-Liner (Clifford Richards); Bunkawali (M. Hunter); Woodstock (Sirett); Knight of Monaster (Richardson); New Era (Ryan); Scusi (A. Burns); Little Wyvis (Middleton); Sir Calidore (Sharpe); Samarkand (Lynch); Greynam (D. Smith); Court Equerre (Mitchell); Violino (Wing); Option Money (Sedgrove); Vimy Ridge (Bertram) — Reuter.

LEN HARVEY'S COME-BACK

A BOXING COMEDY IN THE MAKING

London, Sept. 20. Len Harvey knocked out Don McCorkindale in the fifth round of their "championship" fight at the Albert Hall last night.

For four and half rounds Harvey, with a broken rib, had battled against the superior footwork and the heavier punch of McCorkindale.

The fifth round saw a change. Relying in response to magic signals from a woman sitting at the ringside, who, oblivious to the boos and cries of the fashionably-dressed crowd, never ceased to encourage him, Harvey was a new man.

A beautiful left hook to the jaw sent McCorkindale down for the count.

It's all right, everybody. It's only a film in the making. "Excuse My Glove," a boxing comedy.

The stalls around the ring in the glare of the film lights were filled with extras, thoroughly enjoying the thrill.

Streatham and Mitcham Rugby League club yesterday signed Twoe, the Wigan player, who can fill any position behind the scrum-mage.

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FINAL MATCH TO-DAY

J. C. BROWN IN LOCAL SIDE

Shanghai having already won the lawn bowls interport there will not be the same interest attached to to-day's match but the local side will be out to prevent a clean sweep as occurred last year.

There is to be a change in to-day's team to represent Hongkong. J. C. Brown will play No. 3 in the place of F. J. Jones who is indisposed.

The Hongkong rink will therefore be J. V. Ramsay, B. W. Bradbury, J. C. Brown and U. M. Omar.

The match starts at 3 p.m. and will be played on the Kowloon B. C. C. green.

The Shanghai team will be C. W. Glover, C. Richards; W. H. Train and J. M. C. Lopes (skip).

A COMEDY OF ERRORS

ALL EXCEPT ONE DISQUALIFIED

BUT RACE VOID

London, Sept. 17. The Novices' All-aged Hurdle race at the Shirley meeting, near Birmingham, yesterday was a comedy of errors.

Six horses set off gaily for the winning-post two miles away, but with some distances still to go Mr. D. D. Stewart, the owner and rider of Biddy's Pet, decided that his mount had no chance of winning and pulled up.

He remained on the course, watching the other horses, and saw them, one after another, take the wrong course.

Instead of keeping to the track, they went on the wrong side of one of the flags.

DISQUALIFIED

Racing has one penalty only for horses that do this—disqualification, and as the five leaders had, automatically put themselves out of the race, Mr. Stewart restarted his horse.

He had only to complete the course to be awarded the first prize, £68.

Unfortunately for him, he had taken so long that by the time he passed the winning post the judge, having placed the first three horses to pass, Lena Gowla, Thoughtless II, and Beauit du Diable, had left his box.

There was no one who had authority to make official note of Mr. Stewart's arrival.

Nothing was left but for Mr. Stewart to point out what had happened.

The stewards made inquiries, confirmed his report, and had no option but to disqualify the five horses, and as the sixth had not officially passed the post they declared the race void.

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WALKER CUP

POSSIBLE EXTENSION OF COMPETITION

A DAVIS CUP FOR GOLF?

An extension of international activity among amateur golfers, once a remote possibility, is fast becoming a probability.

The increasing popularity of the game in countries thousands of miles from its original home is breeding a desire on the part of those nations to transform the Walker Cup, at present competed for by Great Britain and America, into a golfing counterpart of the Davis Cup for lawn tennis.

Such a development is provided for in the conditions governing the Walker Cup match, which is due to be played in America next year. It is laid down that the Cup is not intended for competition solely between Britain and America, and that any other nation can submit a challenge, which might be accepted.

There is no obstacle, therefore, to a development similar to that which has characterised the Davis Cup, in 1900 a trophy which concerned only Britain and America, and in 1936 a prize in which about thirty countries were interested.

There is some likelihood of the expansion of the Walker Cup match being discussed by the Royal and Ancient Golf Club of St. Andrews, the governing body of the game, when plans for next year's contest are considered, and golfers are anticipating this change.

RULES MIGHT BE ADJUSTED

It is not expected that other countries will at present have any serious claim to success in such an international contest, but the recent visit to this country of a Canadian team has stimulated international rivalry. Canada is anxious to have official matches, and both France and Japan would embrace this opportunity of developing their talent.

Spain is producing some excellent golfers; a British team has visited Australia and New Zealand; the successes of A. D. Locke, the phenomenal boy golfer, have created a greater interest in the game amongst the South Africans; and the Argentines are always keen. To these the Central European nations and the Scandinavians, and the nucleus of a world tournament is formed.

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INJURIES TO SOCCER PLAYERS

FORBID THE USE OF STUDS

A SUGGESTION BY AN ABERDONIAN

(By FRANK M. CARRUTHERS)

London, Sept. 19. If a count were kept of the number of injuries in football, I believe the result would be startling. I think, too, that it would be found that two out of three were to knees and ankles.

Most of the leading clubs to-day have special rooms equipped with the latest electrical appliances for the treatment of their cripples. These, it is said, have been installed to hasten recovery. A man who used to take three weeks to get over an accident can now be made fit in a few days.

But still the mishaps multiply. More players are temporarily incapacitated to-day than ever before. This, at any rate, is the impression.

The other day I drew attention to the number of players who suffer knee injuries and have to undergo operations for the removal of a damaged cartilage.

An Aberdeen correspondent writes: "Forbid the use of studs and substitute bars and nine-tenths of the knee injuries will then be prevented."

ANCHORED

The effect of the studs, he says, is that the foot is anchored for a second and the knee, propelled by the thigh, is shot forward into an unnatural position. Or, again, with the foot so held, any blow or strain on the side of the leg twists the knee, and the damage is done.

He adds: "It will be urged that studs are more effective than bars in checking speed, turning, and twisting. That is to point they are too holding. If all players used bars there would be no appreciable slowing down and the compensation for any minute difference is as great—longer lives for the players, fewer doctors' bills, and less enforced chopping and changing of teams—that it far outweighs any disadvantage."

It is a tremendously important question for every club, and I think it ought to be examined, both in their own interests and those of the players. I make no suggestion that injuries are caused by rough play. It is possible, however, that they have become more frequent owing to the speeding up which has taken place in the game, and it might be worth while to study the footwear of the men.

I know that the answer will be: "Players wore studs thirty years ago, and they are trained in just the same way to-day." It will also be said that they have always suffered from cartilage troubles and sprained ankles.

But what was the explanation of the alarming number of pulled muscles which were reported during the first two weeks of the August training? There were over thirty, and in some cases the players did not recover in time to take part in the opening matches.

FAULTY TRAINING

The circumstances are so auspicious that there is the possibility that training methods, even if they have been practised for thirty years, are not always correct.

The fitness of the players, in order that teams may not be changed, is so important that closer and more scientific study ought to be devoted to this side of the game. It was unfortunate that more club trainers did not attend the lectures and demonstrations which were arranged by the Football Association during the summer.

FAMOUS TRAINER DIES AT 76

MAN WITH 100 WINNERS

MATTHEW DOBSON PEACOCK

London, Sept. 13. Mr. Matthew Dobson Peacock, the veteran racehorse trainer, died at his home at Manor House, Middleham, to-day.

He was 76.

The most surprising feature of Dobson Peacock's career was that it reached its climax when he was 76, for at an age when most men would think of retiring he trained 100 winners. That was in the season 1931-32, and the handicap of ill-health did not prevent him carrying on his run of successes.

From 1924 to 1934 he trained the winners of 688 races, carrying stakes worth £182,750.

Here is the story of his life—told in his own words at the time when the racing world was paying tribute to his skill in heading the list of successful trainers at so advanced an age.

SECRET OF SUCCESS

"You ask me the secret of my success? Well, I have had the good fortune to train for sportsmen and lovers of horses who have always been willing to give their horses time to develop."

"I was born at Harmby, a little village two miles from Middleham, in Yorkshire, on February 29, 1856. My father was a farmer and breeder of hunters."

"In 1873 I was fortunate enough to win the first prize for show jumping, at Belle Vue, Manchester, in a class open to all England, on my brother's hunter mare Carrie. My weight at that time was only 9st."

"My first mount on a racecourse was Mr. John Osborne's horse, Charlie Boy, on which I won a hunter's steeplechase at Catterick Bridge in 1877, beating the Hon. E. Willoughby (afterwards Jockey Club starter and later still Lord Middleton) on the favourite, Ballet Girl."

"Later I rode many races as an amateur under both rules. In those days amateurs were allowed to compete against professionals, and one success I shall always remember is that in a race at Derby over Jack Watts, who became King Edward's Jockey."

"Jack Watts had me closed in on the right and thought he had me beaten, but he had forgotten that I was left-handed so I was able to



Rochelle Hudson and John Boles are romantic in Shirley Temple's joy package of surprises, "Curly Top," her new Fox Film picture which is ribboned with sunny song, dance and laughter. The picture comes to the King's Theatre shortly.

HONGKONG IN SOCCER FINAL

LOCAL PLAYERS WIN EASILY

Shanghai, Oct. 16. In a hard fought basket-ball game this morning, Nanking beat the Philippines by 49 points to 39.

In the soccer competition Hongkong beat Peiping in the semi-final by eight goals to one.—Reuter.

FOOTBALL CLUB CHANGES

Elliot Displacing Fowler At Centre Forward

The Hongkong Football Club are making several changes for Saturday in their First Division League match against the Navy at Cae-way Bay at 4:30 p.m.

The side will be as follows:

Rodger (capt.); Hill and Strange; Skinner, Gilchrist and Nicholls; Fowler, Farrow, Elliot, Williams and Bickford. Reserve: M. L. Railton.

apply my whip on the near side and win by a short head.

"My last winner as a jockey was on Grasp, at the Manchester Winter meeting in 1895. I had to waste 10lb. to do the weight."

"My interest in training was first developed by Harry Hall, who trained at Spigot Lodge, Middle-

ton. I suppose I have won practically all the principal handicaps in the North and Midlands, but the one race I especially delight to win is the Northumberland Plate at Newcastle."

HIS LAST SUCCESS

He had been ill for over a year, but still took an active interest in the training of his horses. It was his custom, whenever possible, to watch them from his motorcar at their work on Middleham Moor.

His interest in his horses remained to the end. On Wednesday evening he inquired eagerly what had won the last race at Doncaster, and was delighted when he was told that it was Grand Coup, whom he trained for Lord Hamilton of Dalzell.

He leaves two sons and four daughters. Matt Peacock has managed the stable for some time. The other son, Harry Peacock, trains at Spigot Lodge, not far from his father's establishment.

The story of a septuagenarian's ambition is told in these few figures: 1929-30—69 winners; 1930-31—98 winners; and the next season, ambition fulfilled—100 winners. He headed the list again in the following season, with 78.

Dobson Peacock's personal popularity was immense.

NATIONAL ATHLETIC MEETING

MALAYA STILL DOING WELL

MORE RECORDS ESTABLISHED

Shanghai, Oct. 15. The 10,000 metres race proved the most thrilling event of the day with Shansi winning first, third and fourth places. C. L. Wang of Shanghai fell behind and disappointed the fans.

T. S. Ku, of Shansi, the winner, returned the time of 34 minutes 11.6 secs.

Playing in a muddy field the Kwangtung Soccer team swamped Nanking by 12 goals to one.

The Hongkong women's volleyball team lost to Kwangtung after a thrilling game by 2-3 and in the Women's basket ball Kwangtung easily beat Chekiang by 63 points to 14.

In the semi-finals of the women's tennis singles matches C. C. Wong, Shansi, beat W. P. Yang, Kwangtung, 6-1, 6-4.

In the women's 400 metres relay race Kwangtung gained second place.

In the women's baseball throw, finals H. Y. Ma, Kwangtung, gained second place.

NEW RECORDS

The following results of events of the sixth day of the National Athletic meeting were all new National records.

Women's 200 metres dash: S. Li (Shanghai) 27.5 secs.

Women's baseball throw: Y. T. Tan (Shanghai) 50.45 metres.

Women's 400 metres relay: Shanghai 54.52 secs.

Men's 400 metres: S. K. Tai (Shanghai) 52.2 secs.

MALAYAN SUCCESSES

The two Malayan representatives in the tennis singles emerged victorious when the third round was played off.

B. S. Lin, playing a defensive game beat H. Hsieh (Peiping), 6-2, 1-6, 9-7.

G. A. Chen (Malaya) beat Y. W. Yen (Peiping) 1-6, 6-4, 8-6.

The Malaya women's team was placed third, in the 400 metres relay race, C. C. Fu, (Malaya), was placed second, in the men's 400 metres, and Y. C. Teng, (Malaya), fourth, in the women's 200 metres race.—Reuter.

MAMAK HOCKEY

In their opening Mamak Tournament fixture the Police "A" team defeated the Royal Corps of Signals by two goals to one on the Marine ground yesterday afternoon.

The Police attacked strongly and scored a goal in each half. The game was played at a fairly fast pace throughout.

CLUB v. H.M.S. MEDWAY

The following will represent the Hongkong Hockey Club against H.M.S. Medway on the Royal Navy Ground, King's Park, at 5 p.m. today.—H. F. Shields, J. E. Potter (Capt.), J. L. Tetley, J. G. Cotesworth, W. A. Reed, K. E. Cotter, M. A. E. Mackay, D. Carey, G. E. R. Divett, K. G. Woodhouse and D. L. Nooy.

New Billiards Season In England Opens

HORACE LINDRUM AND OTHERS IN SEARCH OF HONOURS

London, Sept. 22.

The new billiards season, which has been opened with several matches of comparatively minor importance, gives every promise of being quite as interesting as any of its predecessors. The game has made great strides in popularity in recent years, and there is a sound and healthy atmosphere which augurs well for the future. The keenness of the competition among the leading amateur and professional players in more recent times has had much to do with this recovery, and now that women players are making such rapid strides there seems to be every prospect of this competition becoming more keen than ever before.

With the exception of that period when Walter Lindrum was supreme, there has been no player of such outstanding merit as John Roberts was many years ago, writes a special Correspondent in the *Observer*. The leading players of their time, Stevenson, Inman, Smith, and now Davis, have all held an advantage in turn, but never in quite the same degree. Of the present-day players Davis has proved his superiority in professional circles, at both billiards and snooker and, as Walter Lindrum will not be coming over again this season, Davis may not experience great difficulty in retaining that degree of superiority.

AUSTRALIA'S CHAMPION

Additional interest however, will be given to the events of the season by the presence of Horace Lindrum, a nephew of the famous Australian player, who, at an early age, has achieved the reputation of being an exceptionally sound exponent of both games. It is a little strange that H. Lindrum is the billiards champion of Australia which he won by defeating his uncle Fred but, as his other relation did not compete the honour may, or may not, be one of the highest merit. The fact, however, that the younger member of a remarkable family is so good suggests that the English player may have all their work cut out to keep the honours in this country. There may be other challengers, too, for C. Stanbury, of Canada, is expected here again to challenge for the snooker championship, and an American snooker player named Schanfer is said to be contemplating a visit.

The game of snooker has increased in popularity considerably in recent years, and evidence of this is provided by the fact that, outside the championship, number of matches have been arranged during the first half of the season which will be confined to snooker play. The previous method was to mix the games, but in those circumstances the snooker was not taken very seriously by the competitors, who were rather more intent on simply potting the balls, and were not unduly concerned with the finer, and perhaps more difficult, points of the game associated with safety play.

The first half of the season will be devoted chiefly to matches at both games between the leading English players and Stanbury, and during the second half of the season the gold cup sealed tournament, which proved such a success last season, will be played. In this it is probable there will be seven players, including the younger Lindrum, and the extension of the programme will mean that some of the games will have to be played concurrently in London and the provinces.

AN IMPROVING PLAYER

It is a fact that the game has never been more rich in talent, and it is a matter for regret that such a sound young player as Lee cannot be embraced in more of the season's chief events. He is a player not merely of promise, but of high efficiency. Since he found himself superior to all of his rivals in the amateur class and took up the game professionally, Lee has made rapid strides. The difference in the standards attained by

professional and amateur players is most marked. It always has been, and an estimate of events as they exist to-day is that this difference will remain.

The explanation is simple. The advantages of the professional player are obvious. The game is an extremely difficult one to play really well, and it is only by close concentration that success can be attained. The long history of the game shows that the reason is more clear that every effort should be made to encourage the young player. His chances are small unless he has opportunities of meeting opponents stronger than himself. That is Lee's handicap at the present time. He is much too good for those in a class lower than himself. It will be interesting to see in time, how good he can be when stronger opposition is met.

AN INTERESTING EVENT

One of the most interesting events of the season will be conveyed by the change which has been made in the rule governing the bank line stroke. The rule in its varying interpretations has had an adventurous career. It has never been popular, and its detractors are many, but that is not to say that it is a bad rule. It was designed for the purpose of placing a limit on close cannon play, and, incidentally, on a spate of four-figure breaks, which were becoming commonplace. In its original form the player had to make the stroke once at least in every 100 points scored in a break. That was altered after a season's trial to every 200 points, and yet little satisfaction was obtained.

It remains a question of whether the rule should be retained, but a compromise has been effected. The rule has been altered to the extent that the stroke now, in professional games only, has to be made while the last twenty points are scored in every 200 points made in a break between 180 and 200: 380 and 400, and so on. The idea is that the game will be made more difficult, but that remains to be seen. The higher-class players are capable of overcoming any difficulties with which they are confronted. The players showed that when the rule was first introduced. The rule, good or bad, will remain, but it is satisfactory to know that it does not affect the amateur game, only to the extent that the stroke has to be made only once in every 200 points scored in a break, and that is not likely to cause many amateur players very much concern.

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Entry forms for the Polo Club Gymkhana which will be held at Boundary Street on October 20 have been issued, and it is notified that entries will close at noon on October 21.

There will be eight events in the programme, including a Tent Poreeing race, Ladies' and Men's Hurdle race, Ladies' Football and Polo Stick race, Handy Hunters Competition, Musical Chairs, Jumping Competition, Polo Goal Scoring and Bare Back wrestling.

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SERIAL STORY

DONNA of the BIG TOP

by BEULAH POYNIER

BEGIN HERE TO-DAY

DONNA GABRIEL and MADELINE SIDDAL, who call themselves "The Gabriel Sisters" are trapeze performers with Barnet's Circus. Donna's parents are also circus performers, now dead. Five years earlier Madeleine's grandfather died, leaving her to spend the winter with his farm near Lebanon. When the circus is playing, she persuades Donna to take her place. Thus it is Donna (pretending to be the other girl) who meets Bill Siddal, Madeleine's cousin, and goes to dinner with him.

CHAPTER III

In the moonlight the road was like a silver ribbon uncoiling with amazing rapidity. A heavy perfume drenched the night air; a perfume made of green things growing, of fruit orchards, wild flowers and the moist fragrance of newly turned earth. Though the Siddal farm was but five miles from Lebanon on the main road, Bill had chosen a longer, more circuitous route.

The car was a battered one, badly in need of paint, but Donna, her hot in her lap, rested her head against the faded felt upholstery and drank in the night air with keen enjoyment. Her half-closed eyes saw everything; myriads of fireflies darting among the wild rose bushes, the streak of black as a cat dashed across their path, the farm houses set in the distance, the huge gnarled oaks and rows of sycamores.

They had spoken but few words since Bill had guided her away from the circus lot, already a lifeless city with its tents deflated and rolled into bundles. There was much the young man wanted to say but dared not voice. There was much Donna wanted to ask but she hesitated.

When either of them did speak it was of something trivial. "That's the Trager place," Bill said. "Do you remember the Trager? Jim was at school with me." And a little later Donna murmured, "I'm glad there's a late train Monday. One of the girls is going to ride in my place in the parade."

"We might have asked your partner to come along," Bill suggested. "I didn't think of it. Did you think it was strange we didn't ask her?"

Donna felt a queer little stab in her heart. "She almost did come," she said slowly, recalling the scene in the dressing room when Madeleine had decided that Bill Siddal looked interesting enough to risk a visit to the circus and Madeline gone to the farm. However, Con had appeared and to puzzle Donna (at least he had hoped to do so) had invited Madeline to have supper with him and Madeline had accepted the invitation.

"Your grandfather may be in bed," Bill said as he turned the car into a road only a little wider than a cowpath. "If he is, we won't wake him. He's mighty feeble these days and needs all day sleep—he can get. Your coming will be a red-letter day in his life. You don't know how much he cares about you."

Donna sensed the disapproval Bill had not actually expressed and she shivered slightly. Now that she had reached her destination, she wondered if it would be possible to deceive a loving old man who remembered his grandchild's voice, the contour of her face. Had the loss of his eyesight made his other faculties keener? If he realized she was an impostor could she convince him the deception had been well intentioned? And what would Bill say?

She had a sudden impulse to tell him the truth then, an impulse she crushed instantly for the headlights of the car brought into stark outline the narrow, austere brick building which was the Siddal farmhouse. Light flowed from some of the lower windows and as the car passed through the open gateway and moved up a driveway between rows of catalpa and sycamore trees, a man appeared in the doorway.

"There's Grandpop," said Bill, "I reckon the excitement of seeing you again kept him awake."

He called, "Hello there!" and the old man waved his hand.

Before the car came to a stop at the front porch Donna had an opportunity to look at her host. He was tall and very erect. His snow white hair curled slightly and touched the collar of the dressing gown that clung to his gaunt figure. The bathos of his anger, sightless face caught at the girl's heart and for an instant bitterness toward Madeline's heartlessness banished Donna's fear of the ordeal before her.

"Did Madeline come?" the old man asked as Bill sprouted up the three steps to his side.

"Here she is!" Bill beckoned to Donna who was just behind him.

"Grandfather," she whispered huskily. "Grandfather."

Groping gnarled hands reached for her; old arms enfolded her.

"Madeline, my little Madeline!" The girl pressed her face against his shoulder, hoping he would not notice how fast her heart was beating. "I've wanted you for such a long time and now I can't even see you."

"I know," she choked, tears in her throat. "Bill told me—*you are blind*." "Oh, I'm so sorry, so sorry!"

"That's all right, Madeline," he answered, patting her curly hair with trembling, affectionate fingers. "I'm old and my affection doesn't matter so much to any fellow. Only you have made you and I want you. But (there) We're not going to be bad for the little time you are here. There must be a heap you've got to tell me and a heap more I want to



"You've changed," Mrs. Planter said to the girl. "I wouldn't have known you."

know. Come inside. Mrs. Planter laid out some supper for you."

In the light from the open window Donna saw Bill's face. His eyes met with her to say, "It isn't a short time, Grandfather, I'm going to stay with you always."

With all her soul she wished she could say those words, wished that she could give to the lonely old man the love and attention he needed. Her strong young arm guided him through the open door.

In books Donna had read of just such a room—quaint, homely, rustic, but containing something between the four walls that she had longed for all her life. There were rocking chairs with lace squares on their backs, a "whatnot" in the corner with china bric-a-brac on its shelves, a reading lamp beside a stand holding a huge family Bible.

On the big central table a vase of purple and white lilacs stood and beneath a napkin the supper was laid out. Donna's glance rested upon an enlarged photograph on the wall, the picture of a small girl with long fair, curling hair and wide, questioning eyes. Madeline, of course.

"It doesn't look much like you now," Bill said.

The old man's faltering steps led him to the chair beside the Bible. "Mayo you don't hold with prayer now, Madeline," he said, "but I want to thank God that He sent you to me before the call came."

"Oh Grandfather!" she cried. She dropped on her knees beside him, feeling suddenly that this was her touchstone, this old man whose feet touched the precipice of death, was her relative. "Oh Grandfather!"

In the midst of the simple prayer a door opened and the housekeeper, Mrs. Planter, came into the room. Instantly the spell vanished. Donna felt the antagonism of woman. Through Mrs. Planter's thin lips parted in a smile, though she extended her hand in cordial greeting, her pale eyes between white lashes informed Donna she was not welcome.

"I reckon you find your grandpa changed a lot," she said. "He's been falling fast this past year. And you've changed too. Yes, you've changed. I wouldn't have known you."

"Five years make changes in every one," Donna answered bravely. "It was an effort to keep from betraying herself when old Mr. Siddal's fingers touched her features, lingering over the curve of her throat, the chiselled straightness of her nose. Could time have made the differences he would find? She drew a sigh of relief when his hand dropped.

"You oughta be in bed, Amos," rasped Mrs. Planter. "Mobbe young folks can miss their rest and not feel it, but you'll be sick to-morrow if you stay up any longer."

Obediently Grandfather rose. "Emile is right. You eat your supper, Madeline, and go to bed so's you can get up bright and early. Bill will show you your room."

He kissed her forehead and then permitted the housekeeper to lead him out of the room.

There was a taut silence when Bill and Donna found themselves alone once more. Then he coughed and crossed to the door. "I'll put the car away," he said abruptly.

"Impulsively she exclaimed. "How sweet he is!"

"He's always been the salt of the earth," Bill answered coldly. "How you could have picked up and run away is more than I've ever been able to fathom. It puzzles me more since I've met you."

"The loneliness and the monotony," she stammered, trying to recall Madeline's various excuses. "And," with a faint smile, "my vanity."

"I suppose," he conceded, "it was too much to ask a girl as beautiful as you to stay hidden here for the rest of her days, but I wish you could see your way clear to come back next winter. It would give Granddad a new lease on life."

"I will come," she said, determined Madeline should do her duty even if it broke up their act.

Bill looked at her and the steady gaze of his emerald gray eyes said more than words. Then he left the room. Five minutes later when he returned she was sitting at the table but she had not touched the food. "I'll show you to your room," he said.

"It doesn't look much like you now," Bill said.

Over a bowl of chili con carne Madeline winked at Con David, with no thoughts for her partner nor her aged relative. Con's handsome face held no welcoming smile. Already he regretted the invitation prompted by his jealousy. Madeline might be as pretty and attractive as Donna but she bored him and he loved Donna. The country youth who had taken Donna away might be her cousin but if he wasn't in love with her Con knew little about love. And why hadn't Madeline gone with them?

"Snap out of it, Con," she said. "It's not very complimentary to have you sitting there so gloomy. You ought to know anyway that you don't stand a chance with Donna."

"How do you know I don't?"

"She's told me. She wouldn't marry a performer no matter how much she loved him."

"She'll marry me," Madeline laughed sharply. "Says you! No, she won't. She's crazy for a home and children. It wouldn't surprise me if she and Bill Siddal made a go of it."

"You said he was her cousin. Cousins can't marry."

"Madeline's eyes half-closed. "Don't believe everything you've told. Con had to protect her, didn't I?"

"He sprang to his feet. "Then she didn't go to her grandfather's?"

"Of course not," sudden fear that she had implied too much made Madeline add. "For heaven's sake, don't spread it! You know Renfrew and if he found out about it he might fire us both."

"Let's go," Con seized his hat and stalked to the desk to pay the bill. Madeline bit her lips in chagrin. It was well enough to argue that all was fair in love but if Donna learned she had said anything that would reflect on her reputation there would be trouble.

"Listen, Con!" she said tensely when they were on the street. "You misunderstood me. You've got to give me your word to keep this under your hat, but Donna isn't my sister and the man she went to visit is my grandfather, not hers. She did go to the farm and . . ."

"I don't give a hang what she did or where she went!" the trainee answered morosely. "There's going to be a show-down Monday. She'll either marry me then or . . ."

"Or—?" breathlessly.

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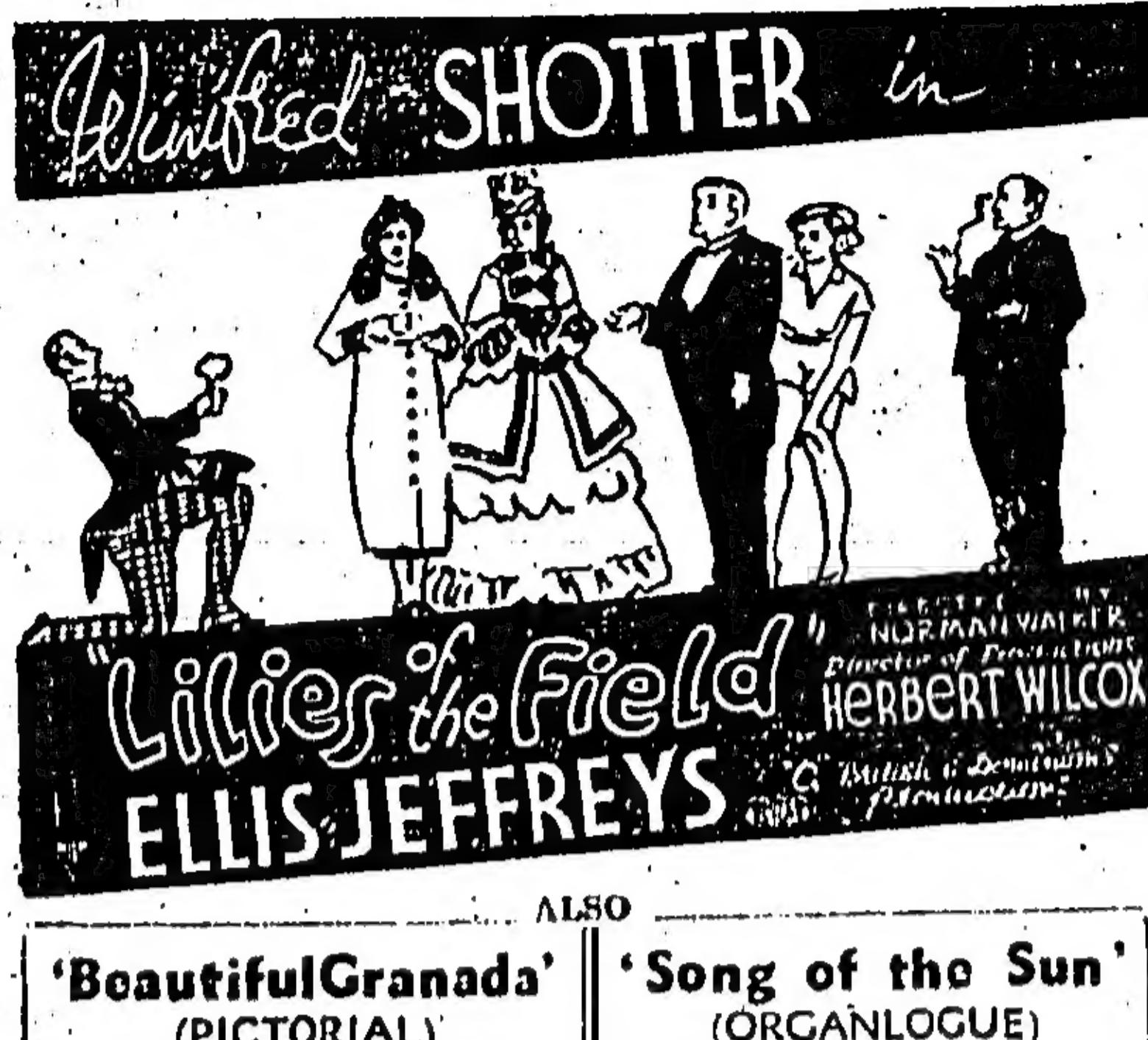
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JAPANESE ATTITUDE UNDEFINED

SPOKESMAN ELUDES QUESTIONER

POLICY ON SANCTIONS

TOKYO, Oct. 16. A Foreign Office spokesman replying to questions as to what Japan's attitude will be regarding League sanctions against Italy, spoke guardedly to-day. He asked questions rather than answered them.

"In the event of the nations applying sanctions what compensations are offered for trade losses which are bound to result?" he demanded.

However, he made it plain that Japan had not been approached regarding sanctions, nor other matters pertaining to the Italo-Ethiopian situation. Hence it was impossible at present to define her attitude.

Asked as to Japan's attitude regarding the possible closing of the Suez Canal, the spokesman again answered with a question: "How is it possible to close the canal in view of the existing treaties governing the operation of the canal?"

SENDING NO MUNITIONS

He said that Japan was not yet sending munitions to anybody. The Government had not received applications for such shipments.

Commenting on Japan's reply to Britain's naval suggestions, he pointed out that Britain had never sent Japan a formal invitation to a naval conference. However, Japan did not desire to block the conference, or informal conversations, but hopes that the other powers will see the justice of Japan's policy, which has been enunciated repeatedly, and which Japan insists would lead to genuine naval disarmament. *United Press.*

EARNINGS INCREASE

VAST PROFITS FOR AMERICAN FIRM

NEW YORK, Oct. 15. The American Telephone and Telegraph Company has reported a third quarter net income of \$31,600,000, equal to \$1.69 per share, compared with \$28,168,000 or \$1.51 per share for last year's corresponding period.

The past nine months' net income of \$90,634,000 equals \$4.85 per share, compared with \$90,085,000 or \$4.82 per share for the same period last year. *Reuter Special.*

AUSTRALIAN FLYER CRASHES

FLIGHT ATTEMPT ABANDONED

LONDON, Oct. 15. Mr. H. F. Broadbent, the Australian aviator who left Darwain on Friday on an attempt to break the record for a flight to England, has had to abandon the attempt at Barra.

His machine was badly damaged in a crash, but Mr. Broadbent was not seriously hurt. *British Wireless.*

RUSSIA'S ANSWER

MOSCOW, Oct. 16. Moscow to-day denied the Japanese assertion that the Russo-Japanese clash on October 10 was due to the ill-defined boundary and declared the frontier was well marked. The Japanese explanation was characteristic of Japan's "obtuse but not clever policy." *United Press.*

WON'T TURN PRO.

HOLLYWOOD, Oct. 15. Fred Perry, the British tennis ace, before leaving for Australia to take up his new duties, declared he no longer entertained the idea of turning professional. His back injury would keep him out of tennis for at least two months, he said. *Reuter.*

Twelve months' hard labour was passed on Ng Sze, 59 seaman, when he was charged before Mr. Wynne-Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning, with a breach of the Deportation Ordinance. He admitted that he was passing through the Colony and was arrested on the boat. He alleged that he did not land. Evidence was heard and it was stated that defendant was arrested at Castle Peak Road as the result of information received. Inspector Ellis prosecuted.

Stock Market Rules

CHICAGO MAKING CHANGES

(Special to "Telegraph")

NEW YORK, Oct. 15. In view of the spur to market activity, the Chicago Board of Trade has voted for restoration of trading in daily indemnities, effective from 1:30 p.m. to-morrow.

It has also voted to make effective immediately a change in the basis of margin requirements which hereafter will be a minimum of four cents a bushel on wheat, rye and barley, three cents on corn, two cents on oats, on spread and hedging transactions, while a minimum of 150 per cent. of clearing house requirements on all other trades will be compelled.

The new rules also provide that one day's notice is required before delivery is demanded, and that trading in grain futures deliverable in the current month is prohibited in the last three business days of that month.

The unit of indemnity trading, 5,000 bushels is restricted to from 1:30 to 2 p.m. on week-days and from 12:15 to 12:45 p.m. on Saturday. *Reuter Special.*

No Date For Election

BRITISH CABINET UNDECIDED

London, Oct. 15. It is understood that no definite date was fixed for the General Election at to-day's meeting of the Cabinet, but it is learned that there is a strong body of feeling in the Cabinet in favour of the earliest possible appeal to the country.

The view is expressed that when Parliament reassembles on Tuesday next, the only business to be taken should be a three-day debate on foreign affairs, to be followed by a prorogation of Parliament on October 26.

In this case, the dissolution will probably take place on October 26, with nomination day on November 4 and polling day on November 14. Domestic affairs were considered at to-day's meeting of the Cabinet, and it is understood that Ministers will review the international situation to-morrow. *Reuter.*

COPPER STOCK DECLINES

WORLD CONSUMPTION FIGURES

NEW YORK, Oct. 15. The world's stocks of refined copper in September declined by 18,000 tons, to 531,600 tons, and American stocks dropped 7,250 tons to 241,300 tons.

The apparent world consumption was 131,300, compared to August's 183,000 tons, of which America took 43,600 compared with 48,000 tons.

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